

ALLIES AND GERMANS MANEUVERING FOR BIG BATTLE

U. S. WILL REFRAIN FROM PASSING ANY JUDGMENT ON WAR

Belgian Commission Presents Report of German Cruelties Practiced in Recent Fighting

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Formal notice was given to the world today by President Wilson that the United States, at this time, cannot pass judgment upon or take any part in controversies between the warring European nations over alleged violations of the rules of civilized warfare and humanity. He said settlement of these questions would have to wait until the end of the war, which he prayed might be very soon.

The President announced the position of the American government first in an address to the commission sent to him by the King of Belgium, to protest against alleged atrocities committed by the German army. Later he sent a cablegram along similar lines to the Emperor of Germany, replying to the latter's recent protest that the allies were using dum-dum bullets.

The Belgian commission was received at the White House with formal ceremony. The President, accompanied by his military aide, and several high officials of the government, greeted the visitors in the East room and listened with grave attention to their address, setting forth in detail charges that German soldiers invading their land had killed and tortured men, women and children, destroyed art treasures and sacked cities.

Mr. Wilson read his prepared reply. "It would be unwise, it would be premature," he said, "for a single government, it would even be inconsistent with the neutral position for any nation which, like this, has no part in the contest, to form or express a final judgment."

Resume of Findings
A resume of the findings of the Belgian commission of inquiry appointed by the King of the Belgians to investigate the alleged atrocities committed by German troops by the Belgian invasion here, was made public today after the report had been presented to President Wilson.

"The findings were grouped under the headings of 'The Atrocities at Linne-meu and Orsmet,' 'The Massacre of Aerschot,' and 'The Destruction of Louvain.' The summary follows:

"German cavalry occupying the village of Linne-meu were attacked by some Belgian troops and two German soldiers were killed. The German soldiers, during the night, and subsequently buried at the request of the Belgian officer in command. None of the civilians had taken part in the fight, nevertheless the village was invaded at dusk on August 10 by a strong force of German cavalry, artillery and machine guns in spite of the formal assurances given by the burgomaster that none of the civilians had taken part in the fight, two farms and six outlying houses were destroyed by gun fire and reduced to ashes. All the male population was then compelled to come forward and hand over whatever arms they possessed. No recently discharged firearms were found. Nevertheless the invaders divided these peasants into three groups, those in one group were bound and eleven of them placed in a ditch where they afterward were found dead, their skulls fractured by the butts of rifles.

Loat Defenseless Homes
"During the night of August 10, German cavalry entered Veim in great numbers; the inhabitants were asleep. Without provocation, the Germans fired on Mr. Degimmet's house, broke into it. They destroyed furniture and looted valuables. They burned his barn, hay, corn stacks, implements, cattle and his farm yard. They carried off Mme. Degimmet, half naked, to a place two miles away. She was then released, and as she fled, was fired upon without mercy. Her husband was carried to a point in another direction and fired upon; he is dying. These same troops sacked and burned the house of a railway watchman.

"Farmer Jof Dierck of Neerhespen was an eye-witness to the following atrocities committed by German cavalry at Orsmet and Neerhespen, on August 10, 11 and 12:
"An old man had his arm cut in three longitudinal 'slices'; he was then hanged head downward and burned alive. Young girls were raped and little children outraged at Orsmet, and mutilations too horrible to describe were inflicted upon other inhabitants of this district. They were hanged, while others were tied to telegraph poles and shot.

Commandant Murdered
"After an engagement at Haelen, Commandant Van Damme was so severely wounded that he was lying prone upon his back. He was murdered by German infantry firing their revolvers into his mouth.

"Numerous wounded and unarmed soldiers were ill-treated or killed by German troops and in different places doctors and nurses and ambulances were fired upon.

"At times the Germans went into battle with a Belgian flag.

"While digging trenches and with the white flag hoisted, Belgian soldiers were set upon by Germans and shot.

"Another time, near a fort at Louvain, a group of German infantry hoisted the white flag, and when the Belgian soldiers approached them to take their prisoners, they were fired upon at close range.

"Aerschot, a town of 8,000 inhabitants, was invaded by the Germans in the morning of August 19. No Belgian troops remained behind. No sooner had the Germans entered the city than they began shooting several in-

DENIES REPORTED ATROCITIES UPON BELGIAN CITIZENS

Associated Press Man Says Kaiser's Troops Did Violence Only When Attacked

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—An Associated Press correspondent of American birth and antecedents, who was sent from the New York office, and who was captured in Brussels at the time of the German invasion, held as a prisoner for several days, and finally escaped to Holland, has sent by mail the following story of his experiences:

"The night before the Germans entered Brussels, when the Belgian civil guards and refugees began pouring into the city from the direction of Louvain, they brought stories of unspeakable German atrocities, maltreatment of old men and children, and the violation of women.

"The Belgian capital reeled with apprehension. Within an hour the gaiety, the vivacity and brilliancy of the city went out like a broken gas light. The radiance of the cafes were exchanged for darkness; whistling groups of residents broke up hurriedly and locked themselves in their homes, where they put up colored Belgian flags in their front-colored Belgian flags. The historic Belgian city went through a state of morbid consternation, remarkably like that from which it suffered on June 18, 1815, when it trembled with the fear of a French victory at Waterloo.

Denies Atrocities
"In less than twenty-four hours, the Belgian citizens were shuttling furiously with the German invaders, and the allegation of German brutality and demoralized torture dissolved into one of the myths which have accompanied all wars.

"Neither in Brussels nor in its environs was a single act of violence, as far as I know, committed by a German soldier. In a city of over half a million people, invaded by a hostile army of perhaps a quarter of a million soldiers, no act sufficiently flagrant to demand punishment, or to warrant a protest, came to my attention. The frightful reports that had preceded the German army into Brussels included the dismembering of old men, and the impaling of children on lances, just outside of Louvain. Investigation not only failed to substantiate these rumors, but could not even discover any one in the immediate vicinity who credited them. An eye-witness of unimpeachable veracity told me that the worst behavior he had observed during the first German entry into Louvain (August 19), was that of a German soldier who, after having from his horse and kissed a pretty Flemish girl who brought him a glass of beer.

Marched With Germans
"I marched for days with the German columns, often only one day behind the fighting, with the houses that had been burned still smoldering, the ground freshly broken by shell and trampled by horses and men, and the memory of the German advance vivid in the minds of the inhabitants. I interviewed an average of twenty persons in each of a dozen towns, and found only one instance of a non-combatant who had been killed without a justifiable provocation. In this case the evidence did not clearly prove that the man had been wantonly murdered. He lived in one of the typical small Belgian country-side houses which combine the comforts of home, with the lure of a small public bar. This house was at the north end of Merbes-le-Chateau, a town through which a large part of the German army passed on the road to Maubeuge. A son of the murdered man, whose name was Arthur Nicodem, showed no blood clots on the floor, marking the place where Nicodem fell, his throat cut by a sword-wound.

"It was said by some inhabitants that the murdered man showed a pair of binoculars, but a more probable explanation was that English outposts had concealed themselves in the house, from which they poured a rain of fire upon the first German invaders. The inference that the shooting was done by Belgian civilians may have inflamed the Germans to reprisals. In that neighborhood, four houses had been burned and one was still ablaze as I passed on Wednesday, August 26.

Reply to Attack
"This town of Merbes-le-Chateau, which had been the scene of an unpleasant skirmish between the Germans and English on the previous Sunday, was riddled with rifle shots. The small number of windows intact showed that the Germans had made a deliberate assault upon the residents of the town. But the inhabitants themselves admitted that all of the shooting had been done by a comparatively small number of Germans, and that the firing had not been begun until the English soldiers who had concealed themselves in the houses, had fired first upon the Germans.

"I have emphasized the use of fatality of the non-combatant because the news of it traveled up and down the Somme with a cross fire from the Somme and across to the English and the French, multiplying as it went, and developing ghastly and inhuman details, until it seemed an unanswerable reproach to the whole German empire. With this one possible exception, I did not encounter in Nivelles, in Dinche, Boulers or Solre-sur-Sambre or any of the other towns I visited, a single incident of mistreatment of any sort by German officers or soldiers."

Consul Visits Liège
"Robert J. Thompson, American consul at Aachen, visited Liège during and after the capture of the forts. It is the opinion of Mr. Thompson that no outrage was committed by Germans during the several days fighting there. There are, of course, reported outrages beyond investigation, either on account of their vagueness, or because it is impossible to weigh the provocation. It is known, for instance, that 112 natives were killed in Renoumont, but that they were killed because they fired upon them from the roofs and windows of the houses.

"The history of the absolute destruction of the city of Louvain, with its cathedral and its university, is by this time well-known. The version of this is that the inhabitants, under the direction of the burgomaster, established themselves in the city, where they also installed a machine gun. They proceeded to greet the Germans with a deadly fire.

"The Belgians say on the other hand, that part of the German army, mistaking one of their own retreating divisions for the enemy, opened fire upon them, whereupon, deluded into thinking this an assault by Belgian civilians, the Germans razed the whole city.

"I have not been able to acquire any direct evidence in regard to these last two instances, but the explanation generally credited by disinterested persons is that the Belgians who had laid down their arms according to the German proclamation, on the entrance of the enemy, took them up again when it looked as if the Germans were retreating from the town, and opened fire from their windows upon a retreating German train."

President Makes Reply To Protest of Kaiser
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—President Wilson replied today to the message recently received from Emperor William protesting against the alleged use of the allied armies of dum-dum bullets. He said he had read the communication with the greatest interest, and that he would be anxious to express his final judgment in the controversy.

The message was almost identical with the speech made by the President to the Belgian commission, which protested against alleged German atrocities.

A cablegram replying to the protest of President William, which charged that the Germans were using dum-dum bullets, also was prepared. It was not made public, but was known to follow closely the text of the President's message to Emperor William, which was as follows:

"I received Your Imperial Majesty's important communication of the seventh and have read it with greatest interest and concern. I am honored that you should have turned to me for an impartial judgment as to the propriety of a people truly distressed and in quest of the present war and truly distressed of knowing and accepting the truth.

"You will, I am sure, not expect me to say more. Presently, I pray God, very soon, this war will be over. The day of accounting will then come, when

FIGHTING CONTINUES ALL ALONG GREAT LINE; NOT DECISIVE

Report German Right Wing is Enveloped; Crown Prince's Army Appears to Have Been Checked in Front of Verdun

LONDON, Sept. 17, 3:35 a. m.—The German right wing is now encircled by the allies, according to an Amiens dispatch to the Daily News.

LONDON, Sept. 16, 9:20 p. m.—The German army, which less than a fortnight ago was the master of Paris and the right wing of which ten extended to the southeast of the French capital, is tonight drawn upon almost a straight line, extending from the neighborhood of Noyon, in the west, to Bois Forges on the Meuse, north of Verdun with its left resting on the German fortress of Metz.

Thus, the right wing, at least, has gone back more than seventy miles in two weeks, while the rest of the army also has had to retire before the allied forces which find ground on which to make a stand against the advance of the allies.

That the Germans intend to give battle on this line, with the River Aisne in front of their right, the hills of Rheims facing their center, and the mountains and forest of Argonne in their rear, seems little doubt. They went back steadily before the French and English armies, fighting only rear-guard actions until their right, in command of General von Kluck, got across the Aisne.

Then they turned and delivered several counter-attacks which, however, according to the British official report, were repulsed, the Germans leaving 200 prisoners in the hands of the British.

These counter attacks, doubtless, were delivered in the hope of giving the troops the right wing, exhausted by the long advance followed by a retreat, almost as long, the opportunity of resting and preparing positions from which they could resist attacks from the allies, and in which they could await reinforcements before taking up the fight.

The Germans are in the hilly country around Meuse, on the plateau of Vie-Sur-Aisne and Soissons, and north of Rheims, where they are digging strong entrenchments and receiving reinforcements, but even here, the right wing, which has to the present borne the brunt of the fighting in the advance and the retreat, is not altogether safe, for the French army operations from Amiens clings to its flank, while the British and French forces continue to press in from the north.

It is essential, however, that they should hold their positions, for they cover the lines of retreat to the north, which would be the only way out if defeat should be their lot. That they have been held up to the point of the ground with the allied armies the last two days, and that both sides have suffered heavily.

British in Front
The British army, as has been its lot since it landed in France, is taking its full share in the fighting, which on the front has been particularly severe since the retreat of the Germans across the Aisne and made their first determined stand in the retreat from Paris.

The German center, which in the last few days has come once more into line with the two wings, now stretches from the heights north of Rheims, westward to the heights of the Argonne ridge, dipping a little south to touch Ville-sur-Turle, just northeast of Camp de Chaulons. This is all high, rough ground, in many places covered by forests, which may by this time have been destroyed.

The German center has been driven back a little further from the center, and holds the ground from west of the Argonne hills north of Vannes, which the French have reconquered, to the Meuse, which it crosses at Consovoise, and thence southward to Metz.

It is crossing of the Meuse, which the Germans have selected at Consovoise, is just out of range of the fortress guns of Verdun, so that as far as the battle now pending is concerned they have not to reckon with this stronghold, except as it offers support to the French in case the allies are compelled to retreat.

The Germans on this long line cover as many lines of retreat as possible, including those to Namur, Givet, Mezieres, Sedan and Stenay, and should soon be ready, if they have not already commenced, to give battle, or if the offensive comes from the other side, to defend their positions.

Right Reinforced
It is believed General Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, retains the initiative, having received reinforcements to replace his overworked troops, but whether he will try again to envelope the German right, or to break up the crown prince's army on the left, remains to be seen. It is known that the German right has been considerably reinforced, and that it is more difficult than before to work around that wing, while the German left and center, which also have been a lot of hard fighting, and held their positions until the retirement of the right compelled them to also fall back, doubtless have been stiffened, despite the fact that many troops have been sent to the eastern front.

Neither side has attempted to make any estimate of the losses in killed, wounded and captured during the battle of the Marne, but they must have been enormous and will doubtless have a blow to all the countries concerned when they are disclosed. Many German prisoners have fallen into the hands of the British, and so great a number of prisoners and stragglers have been taken by the French that the ministry of war refuses to make an estimate, for fear of being accused

of exaggeration. The losses in captured all can stand, but it is the number of dead and wounded scattered through the field from the Marne to the Aisne that it is feared will be staggering.

Prisoners from Paris have been sent out to carry out sanitary measures on the battlefield, and motor cars with doctors have left London and Paris to search for any wounded that might have been overlooked by the army ambulance corps. It is known that many wounded are being cared for by peasants in their cottages, and it is these who will be taken to the hospitals by the automobiles.

Great Losses in Galicia
The losses in Galicia and Poland, where fighting has been going on incessantly for more than three weeks, are even greater than those in France, and, according to official reports, the Austrians are still following the Austrian and German forces in the hope of striking another blow before they can re-form.

One report from Petrograd says that the Russians have severed communications between Cracow and Przemyśl, the two fortresses for which the Austrians and their German allies are heading, and have begun an advance to sever communications between Galicia and Budapest.

Reichenkammer, who according to Russian reports, invaded East Prussia to compel the Germans to withdraw troops from the west and thus relieve pressure on the allies, is having some difficulty in extricating his army from a difficult position. He has been compelled to fall back to fortresses on his own frontier, where he is waiting for the Germans under General von Hindenburg, whom some reports say the German emperor has joined.

The opinion is held that the German plan some bold stroke against Reichenkammer, but that the troops which have been engaged in Galicia can reach him. It is pointed out, however, that it would be a bold stroke indeed for the Germans to attack the Russian forts on the frontier or invade a country within a few weeks of the marsh, and later a snow covered wilderness.

The Servians and Montenegrins continue their advance into Bosnia and Herzegovina. The Servians, it is said, have advanced 25 miles beyond Semlin, so that in this event, it is evident that little opposition is being offered them.

While all this fighting is going on on land, the British navy has not been idle. It is learned that the German cruiser Hela, which was yesterday reported from Berlin to have been sunk, was attacked six miles from Helsingland by a British submarine, which made a raid toward that German stronghold. The submarine in question, which was commanded by Lieutenant Commander Max K. Horton, has returned to her base in safety.

Whether she was accompanied by other submarines, has not been disclosed in the admiralty report which is as brief as it could possibly be, but as these vessels usually travel in squadrons accompanied by a cruiser as a parent ship, it is probable that the vessel which torpedoed the Hela, was not alone.

The small warships which have been patrolling the North sea, have been having a rather rough time of it, as they have just come through a 48-hour gale. For the big ships, this is nothing, but the torpedos boats and destroyers, and particularly the submarines, are not comfortably at home during a North sea storm.

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Sir Lionel Carden Former British Minister Makes Charges; Forced Away By Carranza

VERA CRUZ, Sept. 16.—The American forces will not be withdrawn from Vera Cruz before October 10, if the War Department at Washington accepts the suggestion of Brigadier-General Frederick Funston, who recommended today that the steps incident to the evacuation of the city be taken with all deliberation and without undue haste.

General Funston, in recommending this date, it is believed, was a desire to give the thousands of Mexican refugees here an opportunity to leave the country. About 500 priests, 200 nuns, a dozen generals of the old army and scores of officers of lower rank, among those who sought safety within the American lines.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—How Sir Lionel Carden, British minister to Mexico, was forced by General Carranza to leave Mexico City, the diplomatic intervention of the United States alone preventing the Constitutionalist chief from abruptly handling

passports to the minister, was revealed in high official quarters tonight. The facts in the diplomatic episode became known only after the publication of an alleged interview in New York with Sir Lionel, criticising President Wilson for ordering American troops to withdraw from Vera Cruz. Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, promptly informed Secretary Bryan that Sir Lionel, who had been authorized to make any statement, and that he would endeavor to get in touch with him to learn of its accuracy, which he himself doubted.

General Carranza always believed that the English diplomat was largely responsible for Huerta's dogged resistance to diplomatic pressure, and told his friends that when the Constitutionalist reached Mexico City, the minister would be deported. When Carranza did reach Mexico City, the American government, it is understood, took occasion to point out to Carranza that whatever animosity he might personally feel toward Sir Lionel, he would understand and exaggerated as an affront to Great Britain, if passports were handed the British minister.

Carden's Statement
Sir Lionel Carden is quoted by the New York Times as follows in a statement concerning the withdrawal of American troops from Vera Cruz:

"It is a desperate shame that the United States has seen fit to abandon the decent people of Mexico when they most need help. I don't know the real facts, but it would seem that President Wilson has been misinformed in some matters and that if another side of the situation has been brought to his attention he has not seen fit to listen to anything that contradicts those who have told him that the country has been pacified."

"The people who did not get protection in Mexico City and elsewhere went to Vera Cruz for protection. What will they do now? They have no means of getting away and will be left to the mercies of the lawless element that will immediately overrun the town and country."

"When it is said that a state of absolute anarchy exists in Mexico, it is not stating the facts too strongly," continued Sir Lionel. "There were some 4000 good policemen in the City of Mexico, but these have been replaced by an army of 35,000 soldiers that fought the federal government, and among these are several thousands of wild Yaqui Indians who two months ago fought with bows and arrows as the only weapons they knew. Imagine these wild men turned loose in the streets of a great city with no law to govern them and with the residents at their mercy! Nothing is safe. Neither life, liberty nor property is safe."

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WILSON NOTIFIED

Will Waive Recognition of Union; Organiza- tion Maintained

TRINIDAD, Colo., Sept. 16.—Colorado union coal miners in convention, voted today to accept the peace plan recommended by President Wilson. The vote, which came after two days of vigorous debate, was 32 to 8. The Colorado mine owners have called a meeting to be held in Denver on Saturday, at which the same proposal is to be considered.

After the convention adjourned, officers of the United Mine Workers of America sent President Wilson a telegram notifying him that the strikers were ready to return to work under the terms of a three-year truce treaty drawn up by Howell Davies and William R. Fairley, federal mediators appointed by Secretary Wilson of the Department of Labor.

The afternoon session of the convention was featured by speeches by John R. Lawson, Colorado member of the executive board of the United Mine Workers, and E. L. Doyle, district secretary, both of whom at first had opposed the President's proposal. Both today urged that the plan be adopted.

Under the terms of the agreement accepted by the miners, a three-year truce is to be declared in the labor war in the state. During this time, the miners are to waive union recognition, but are not to be permitted to join their organizations. The workmen are permitted to have grievance committees, with the right to appeal to a commission appointed by the President of the United States in the event that the grievance committees are not able to settle disputes with their employers.

Before adjournment, the convention gave three cheers for President Wilson, W. R. Fairley, Congressman Edward Keating, and "Mother" Jones.

The telegram to President Wilson follows: "The Colorado mine workers, in convention assembled, have carefully considered your proposal for a settlement of the coal strike, and after calm and deliberate thought, we have this day decided to accept the proposition you submit. The delegates in this convention come to you with their faith in your integrity and your earnest and patriotic desire to be helpful in the present strike situation."

Upon notice of the acceptance of your proposition by the coal operators, we will immediately terminate the strike and return to work. The message is signed by Frank I. Hayes, John R. Lawson, John McLennan, and E. L. Doyle, policy committee.

safe, and whenever an officer so desires he may turn a family out of its home and commandeer everything. There is no redress, for there is no courts, no congress, no laws—nothing but anarchy and military despotism with not even a supreme chief to oversee them."

"Huerta had some sort of government; Carranza has none whatever; the only claim he has to greatness is his physique and that is not so terrifying either. There is not even martial law here because there is no organization. The Zapatistas, wild, roaming bands of brigands, every few days assault the water works of Mexico City, which are only thirty-five minutes' ride from the city and are all the time attempting to get into town. They are driven away by the police forces, but again make an assault when they feel inclined. But this is only an instance. No Government Yet."

"For months the Carranza party has held the northern tier of states; yet has not established a government? It has not, and there does not seem to have been an attempt to do so. There has never been an honest election down there, and there never will be until the bands of brigands that infest the land be subdued. What can one expect when these bands remain and pillage wherever they wish? They have no laws, no controlling forces. They murder and plunder where they will with no penalty if caught."

"If there is to be an ultimate settlement of the Mexican troubles, it must be brought about by the United States. That would take four hundred thousand men many years, and a vast sum of money. There would be no security in the United States—only the principle of the thing—and it is a question if the great republic would care to foot the bill."

\$1,000,000 Balance

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—As a result of American administration of the Vera Cruz customs office, the Carranza government will receive a cash balance of more than \$1,000,000. General Huerta has pledged the customs receipts as security for a loan obtained in France, but the officials here take the view that the United States should turn the money over to the government in Mexico City, leaving it to that authority to determine its disposition.

The gross customs receipts up to August 20 were \$1,800,000, from which was deducted about \$600,000 for customs administration and the maintenance of quarantine, light houses, pilot house service and part of the postal service.

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Striking

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—The good offices of the federal board of mediation to avert a strike on the St. Louis and Southern Railway (Colton Belt) were invoked by the company late today.

The invitation to the mediation board to intervene was accepted. This action of the company was taken after a committee representing the Order of Railway Conductors, the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen had advised the officers of the railroad that a strike would be called unless the company reinstated a former conductor who had been discharged on allegations of drunkenness.

An injunction restraining the trainmen in the employ of the St. Louis and Southern Railway from striking was asked in the circuit court here today by five conductors.

The injunction petition is directed against five vice presidents of the

railway men's unions, and asks that these officials be restrained from carrying into execution an ultimatum delivered to the railroad management today.

The committee informed the railroad management that enough of the members of the unions by a vote had authorized the union leaders to enforce their demand for the reinstatement of a conductor discharged on allegations of drunkenness.

Circuit Judge Kinsey issued a temporary injunction restraining the strike and gave the defendants until next Tuesday to show cause why the order should not be made permanent. The conductors who filed the petition said a majority of the engineers in the employ of the railroad had voted against a strike, and that the engineers' union had withdrawn from the Federation when it appeared that the strike order would be issued. The petitioners also claimed that one hundred conductors who voted to strike were denied the privilege of changing their votes, the union officials insisting that such changes could be made only on written notice.

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PROGRESSIVE PLATFORM

The Progressive party of California, represented by the state convention assembled in Sacramento September 16, 1914, hereby presents a brief record of some of the constructive achievements of the present Progressive administration, a record which we believe entitles it to a continuance of the confidence and support of progressive men and women in all parties. It hereby declares its continued adherence to the principles of the Progressive party as announced in the platform adopted by its national convention.

DECLARATION OF RIGHTS

We affirm that the supreme duty of all government is the conservation of human resources through an enlightened measure of social and industrial justice.

PROTECTIVE TARIFF

We believe in a protective tariff which shall equalize conditions of competition between the United States and foreign countries, both for the farmer and manufacturer, and which shall maintain for labor an adequate standard of living.

We believe in the establishment of a permanent non-partisan tariff commission, wholly removed from the possibility of political pressure or influence by business interests.

CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATES

We urge the election of our Progressive candidates in Congress, and of Francis J. Heney to the United States Senate, not only because of his eminent qualifications personally for that office, but because he is an aggressive and able advocate of the national policies of the Progressive party.

FOUR YEARS AGO

Four years ago when the present Governor and state administration took office, California was in the hands of special interests that had exploited the government of this state for improper private benefit. Again the people upon the next issue. The same interests, represented by the same leaders, who, in the past, opposed every forward step toward political and economic freedom and humanitarian legislation, are attempting to deceive members of their party and the people generally by claiming credit for the enactment of the great Progressive measures which they have always opposed, and by making promises which they do not intend to fulfill.

TEST OF FAITH

The test of good faith in public officers and in party leaders is found not in their promises, but in their performance. We therefore invite the attention of the people of this state, regardless of party affiliations, to the records of all candidates and their sponsors who are now before the people.

JOHNSON ADMINISTRATION

We endorse the splendidly efficient, economical and enlightened administration of Governor Hiram W. Johnson, which in four years has advanced California from a condition of political thralldom to the first position among the states of the Union in governmental efficiency, social legislation and political independence. The perpetuation of the policies and the consummation of the great work undertaken during his first term, demand the reelection of Governor Johnson.

Eshleman Indorsed

We congratulate the people of California on the nomination of John M. Eshleman for Lieutenant Governor because of the eminent services rendered by him as president of the State Railroad Commission to all of the people of California and his demonstrated fitness for the high office for which he has been nominated.

Congratulations

We congratulate, also, the members of the Republican and Democratic parties upon the discernment with which, at the recent primary, they gave their party nominations to conspicuous members of the present state administration.

We take the fact that the Republican state ticket, with three exceptions, consists of members of the present state administration, and that the Democratic state ticket, with three exceptions, consists of members of the present state administration, to be an endorsement of that administration by the rank and file of those parties.

We believe that this indicates that the people of the state of California no longer will be led through blind partisanship to the selection of candidates for state offices.

Political parties exist for the purpose of securing efficiency and honest government and to execute the will of the people, not for the purpose of giving office to partisans. In state affairs there are no partisan issues. Party issues are confined solely to questions of national policy. The national parties are organized for the purpose of advocating certain national policies. They have no more to do with the administration of state governments than they have with the administration of county and municipal governments.

Non-Partisan Election

We therefore pledge the Progressive party in this state to the enactment of laws providing for the selection of state officials on a non-partisan basis.

Our opponents, too, concede by their conduct, the non-partisan character of state elections. The national parties, the election of four years ago, and the election now before us, those politicians that formerly ruled California in the interest of a group of corporations band together, as though by a natural impulse, and with a singular accord, regardless of party label, to combat the candidates who stand for political freedom and equality and for real economy of administration, for the conservation of human beings, and of the natural resources of the public domain, and for social legislation, such as has made so notable the present administration in California.

That party fealty, which is so eloquently invoked to persuade good citizens to support evil men and evil measures, has no sanction to compel the politicians of the old system to stand by their party when it falls to the hands of honest, enlightened and forward-looking men. The nomination of the Republican party is not a fetter nor a binding obligation to the special interests or the bosses when it is conferred by the Republican electors upon a candidate of the character of John M. Eshleman.

Direct Primary

One of the principal issues in this campaign is the preservation of the direct primary. Already the sponsors for the candidates opposing the present administration have begun a concerted attack upon the direct primary law and are openly advocating its repeal and a return to the convention system, under which in the past the bosses so easily controlled elections.

Our Record

The record of the past four years in the government of this state, as the platform of the Progressive party in California, the present administration has revised and modernized the fiscal system of the state. It has introduced honesty, order and economy, where dishonesty, disorder and extravagance formerly prevailed. It has modernized the hospitals, the prisons, and all the state departments and institutions. It has done away with special privilege. It has unseated the private interest which ruled California with intolerable tyranny for so many years. It has given the people the means by which they can preserve their political freedom and hold public officers responsive to the public will. It has done the great work of the State Railroad Commission, which justly reduced the rates of railroad, express, telephone, telegraph and other public utility companies from \$5,000,000 a year, and has by its course so encouraged investors that in the past three years \$71 million dollars of foreign and domestic capital have been invested in the securities of California public utilities.

The present administration has built hundreds of miles of well constructed highways, without waste and without scandal. It has established civil service for employees of the state. It enacted the alien land law. It has developed the Agricultural College of the State University so that it is of real utility to the farmers of California.

The noblest accomplishment, however, of the present administration has been that great body of legislation for women, for children, for labor, which has brought California into the foremost among the civilizations of the earth. Equal suffrage, the eight hour law for women, workmen's compensation, the abolition of child labor, free text books, the real light abatement bill, the blue sky law, teachers' pensions, and measures of like character, were not party measures. They are

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READY FOR FRAY SAYS GOVERNOR

Progressive Committee to Be Composed of 264 Members

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 16.—"I talked yesterday. The ground is cleared in front. Let's at 'em. We're ready for the fray and we'll sweep them off the earth."

With this short speech, Governor Johnson this afternoon closed the first state Progressive convention. The platform had been adopted a few minutes earlier, while the morning session had sufficed to select the personnel and plan the organization of the state central committee. This committee will meet in San Francisco September 26, and there elect its officers and executive board.

The platform of the Progressives was composed of an endorsement of Governor Johnson, denunciation of the Republicans, and praise of the work of the past four years. The only reference made to national policy was a declaration in favor of a tariff which would equalize conditions here and abroad, assuring the American farmer and manufacturer an equitable profit and the laborer a living wage.

This platform was in line with their declaration for non-partisan state elections, the big new plank.

The greater part of the platform was taken up with review of the achievements claimed for the Republican administration. Readjustment of the state's finances, the work of the railroad commission and legislation bettering conditions for working women and children are commended and advocated.

According to the report of the committee on the state central committee, submitted by Senator John W. Stetson, the Progressive body will consist of 264 members, twelve to be chosen from each of the congressional districts and 122 from the state at large. About 240 of these names were selected by the committee. The remainder will be chosen by the Assembly or senatorial candidates from the counties not represented.

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KEESLING HEADS G. O. P. OF STATE

Republicans Claim All Credit for Reform Legislation

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 16.—Sturred to enthusiasm by a speech by J. D. Fredericks, candidate for governor, the Republican convention adjourned today, with the declaration that the party would win the state election in November. Not a discordant note was sounded during the long session of the day. The platform with its denunciation of the Progressive party, and its claim of constructive work accomplished in the last four years went through without amendment.

Frank H. Keesling, chairman of the new state central committee met with universal approval. A considerable crowd of visitors attended the convention.

The Republicans in their platform begin with an appeal to the voters on the grounds of national prosperity rests upon the Republican party. It is then claimed that most of the laws passed in the two years, marking advances in governmental affairs, are due to the Republican party. The full crew law, the workmen's compensation act, the direct primary law, woman suffrage, state highway act and a multitude of others are cited. The Progressives are denounced for their "extraneous" Republican party, and extravagance. In the increase of the number of state employees, is charged. Economy is pledged in the event of a Republican victory.

Fewer laws enacted is another pledge of the Republicans, as is the turning over to San Francisco of its water front. Gross extravagance in the conduct of the harbor is said to have injured the interests of that port.

In constructive legislation, the Republicans declare for the amendment of the primary law, the re-adjustment of the state school system, the adding of the merchant marine and insist that "tariff duties be levied in a manner to equalize the difference in cost of production at home and abroad."

Frank H. Short of Fresno delivered a speech before the assembled Republican delegates while the convention was waiting for the report of the platform and resolutions committee. Short's speech was an attack upon Governor Johnson and the Progressive administration, denouncing the governor as a political boss in the greatest stand-patter in the country.

The Democratic platform, the shortest of the three campaign documents, pays a hearty tribute to President Wilson, indorsing particularly the Mexican policy, and the handling of the war problems. It then turns its attention to the present state administration, denouncing it as extravagant, and its head as the creator of the most powerful and illegitimate machine in the history of California.

The total exclusion of Athletics is demanded, as well as additional child labor laws. The abolition of "trust" state commissions is advocated. The money now expended on them to be used to the building up of the public schools system. The protection of the forests, the conservation of water power and power sites, and the public ownership of public utilities is favored.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM

The representatives of the Republican Party in Convention assembled at Sacramento, California, September 15th, 1914, present to the People of the State of California the following declaration of principles and policies:

RESPONSIBILITY

We recognize the grave responsibility now resting upon the Republican Party of California. Two years hence, the Republican Party is destined to return to power in the nation. The California registration of 1912, 1913, 1914, the combined registration of Progressives and Democrats, indicates clearly that a majority of the people of California desire at this time to return to the proper administration which have always prevailed under Republican administration.

Prior to the year 1912, the Republican Party can point to a record of practically continuous administration of the affairs of this country, unparalleled in the history of any country or of any political party, for the unity of its party organization, and the sound, progressive and successful administration of the affairs of the nation, and in a majority of the states. Under the administration of the Republican Party, the American people have enjoyed not only the greatest growth in population, in opportunity, and in wealth, but also in all that pertains to the advancement of civilization.

State Record

In order that there may be no misunderstanding as to the position of the Republican Party concerning certain ideas and laws which have been enacted and are therefore not an issue at the present time, we affirm and cite the records of the legislature in substantiation that the following laws owe their initiation and existence to the Republican Party and its members:

The Direct Primary Law; the "Full Throat" Law; the Child Labor Law; the Anti-Race-track gambling law; the separation of State and County taxation; the net container law; the Workmen's Compensation Act; the pure food law; woman's suffrage; the protection of women and children; State highways act; banking laws and a multitude of others which mark and symbolize the progress and development of the people of the State of California, and it will be the purpose of the Republican Party to maintain, develop, protect and enlarge those ideas in the light of experience.

Factional differences and selfish personal ambitions led a portion of the Republican Party to desert its main line in 1912, and to the organization of a third party. This course, the Republican forces resulted in a Democratic victory, notwithstanding that the Democratic vote was far less than the total of the Republican and third party vote.

By the state electorate to repudiate at the polls those members of the State administration who, elected by Republican suffrages, deserted the party, disfranchised the entire Republican electorate, and seized the organization of the Republican Party for their selfish purposes. We regard this action as an outrageous breach of trust.

Prior to the organization of the third party, the Republican party had accomplished the task of freeing the state and the party from the control of malice interests and influences. Under the leadership of and encouraged by the present state administration, certain extreme and radical tendencies have developed, which are contrary to the principles of the Republican party and wholly adverse to the best interests of the people. The Republican party must now check these tendencies.

We especially emphasize the fact that under the guise of progress and reform the number of employees of this state has been so augmented that the cost of government has passed entirely beyond reasonable bounds. We charge that the present administration is responsible for the financial depression in California during the past two years, causing the withdrawal of vast sums from local enterprises, and the refusal of investors, both at home and abroad, to add in the development of this state.

Since the state has suffered immeasurably the result of the extravagance of the present administration, the expenditures of which have been double those of any former administration, we hereby pledge our party and our candidates to an economical administration, which shall

secure the highest efficiency in state departments at the lowest possible cost to the taxpayers.

Equal Consideration

The state administration belongs to the people, and we pledge our candid date for governor, if elected, to accord to every citizen, regardless of party affiliations, the same courteous consideration. No public trust, whether executive or ministerial, should be prosecuted by being under the instrument of political revenge, or a clearing house for political rewards.

Too Much Legislation. The state is suffering from too much legislation. We pledge our nominees to enact fewer laws. Laws should be enacted for the guidance and the direction of the people, should be as few as possible, and so clear in phrasing that every citizen can know what they mean. The last two legislatures multiplied laws so rapidly, on so many subjects, that the average citizen finds almost his every subject to legal control. Industry, trade and business are suffering from socialistic and demagogic attacks. The time has come to call a halt upon constructive legislation, but upon political demagoguery.

San Francisco Harbor. Four years ago, the people voted \$2,000,000 for the purpose of improving San Francisco's water front, so that the city might have one of the equipped and most convenient ports in the world. This great work has been neglected, to the injury of San Francisco, and the commercial and shipping interests of the state. Instead of constructing docks and wharves, there has been built up a great political machine, increasing thereby the payroll of that port nearly 100 per cent. We pledge ourselves to put the port of San Francisco once more on a business basis, and to expend what remains of the nine millions in building up-to-date steel and concrete wharves and docks, and in other improvements.

Municipal Control. As an act of justice, we believe that, since all other ports of the state have been placed under municipal control, San Francisco should be granted the same measure of autonomy. By this means, San Francisco will be free to build up its galloping interests, not only benefiting it, but the entire state; and at the same time there will have been abolished one of the chief sources of corruption in state politics.

State Highways. In 1910 the people voted eighteen millions for the purpose of building a state highway system. Several millions of dollars have already been expended, and only a small portion of the system has been completed. The State Highway commission should be taken out of politics and placed on a business basis, and the remaining money expended properly and promptly for the construction of a system of highways as contemplated by the State Highway act; and this we pledge ourselves to do.

Schools. We are in favor of a readjustment of the state school system to the needs of the state. California has not been foremost in affording its children the highest educational facilities, and we believe that in keeping with our educational ideals and traditions, there should be larger opportunities for vocational training, along with more thorough foundation in elementary studies.

We are in favor of a revision of the state prison system which shall bring our penal institutions up to the modern standard of scientific and human handling of criminal problems.

Industrial Peace. We believe that a more economical method should be found for adjusting the differences which at times arise between large employers and those who labor as employees, and a scientific and just method for arriving at a clear understanding of the issues involved and for adjusting them in the interests of humanity, economy and efficiency. The Republican party has ever been interested in the preservation and development of our industries. We believe this question should receive careful and conscientious investigation and that all those interested in industry should be brought together in an endeavor to

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EUROPE BANKRUPT

It is announced that the Paris edition of the New York Herald will continue to be published in spite of the fact that it is published at a large loss, even after a recent increase in the price of subscription. This announcement has been made in America merely because, this particular paper happening to be an edition of an American paper, news in regard to it is supposed to be of interest to Americans. But to appreciate the real situation one must realize that there is not a newspaper in Europe which is now making expenses. There is probably not a retail newspaper establishment in Europe that is paying its own expenses, and the majority of them would now be at least temporarily bankrupt if it were not for the "moratorium" which suspends the collection of all debts. On the continent a large share of the mercantile establishments have closed, and in England they are doing very little business. Manufacturing everywhere has been reduced to a minimum. Factories naturally cannot operate. Nearly all the hotels in Europe are closed. Travel has ceased. The stories of returning Americans show the great straits to which even the protected travelers of a neutral nation were put in their emergency efforts to get out of the country. Naturally civilian residents of the warring nations would not face these difficulties of travel for any but absolutely necessary purposes, and if many of them were to attempt to move about the difficulties would become even greater. The transportation of freight has been reduced almost to the same minimum. Travel and commerce across international frontiers have, of course, ceased entirely, and local business and transportation have been reduced almost to nothing. In other words, practically the entire machinery of modern life, with the single exception of the military machinery, has stopped. The question is whether Europe can endure this stoppage of activities of civil life as long as it might endure the more military strain of war. In sixteenth century Russia, where most of the population consists of peasants who eat what they produce and buy and sell practically nothing, such a strain might continue indefinitely. But in the modern parts of Europe society has been adjusted to the division of labor, and practically to one produces what he himself consumes. The problem of keeping the civilian population alive is really more difficult and serious than the problem of keeping the military population safe or victorious.

NOTHING SETTLED

Apparently the great battle of the Marne is ended or is ending with nothing settled except the present safety of the city of Paris. That battle began with brilliant German victories, in which against incredible opposition Germany practically repeated the history of the first part of the war of 1871. It ended with decided successes of the Allied French, English and Belgian armies, and with the withdrawal of the Germans considerably back from the forward line of the territory which they had occupied. In other words, the Germans won the first part of the battle and the French the second, but the final result is that neither has won anything and that nothing is settled. So and so many thousands of men have been killed; so and so many millions dollars' worth of property has been burned up, and the only result is that another battle, quite as big, on new lines must start next week. Apparently that battle cannot now result in the capture of Paris. It may result in another standstill, or in driving the Germans back still farther to the lines of their own frontier. In either case it, too, will leave nothing settled, no one will have won, and no one will have lost anything.

It is for this reason that the merely sentimental and oratorical appeals for peace are likely to be for the present quite fruitless. We may preach ever so feelingly of the beauties of peace, but we cannot get peace in Europe without at least determining or proposing lines for that peace. The present fact is that no nation or combination of nations would now be willing to agree on terms which its rival nations would consider. Even the proposal that each nation go back to where it started from, retain its former boundaries and quit fighting, simple and desirable as that might be, could not even get a hearing at this time.

KINGS CANYON

The approaching completion of the Sand Creek road by the authorities of Fresno county once more calls public attention to the duty of the state to finish the construction of the highway into the Kings River canyon. This is one of the few uncompleted works that California must admit, and at the same time is one of the most important. We of Fresno have known in a general way for many years of the great importance of the Kings River canyon in a scenic sense to the state, but the state as a whole and the United States does not know of it. If the Kings

River canyon had had one-half the advertising of the Yosemite, and anything like the accessibility, it would have a much greater reputation. Kings canyon, added to the Yosemite and the other attractions of California, would bring the stock of this state, as a tourist attraction, to a point unsurpassable. The construction of the road through the mountains into the canyon was first authorized by the state eight years ago, and the county met the state's stipulation that a half of the original appropriation be given by Fresno county. On account of difficulties of construction, however, the matter has dragged slowly. It should be completed by the coming legislature. Fresno county has not only contributed to the state's portion of the construction, but has itself built from Reedley to the General Grant national park, one of the beauty spots of California, a highway unequalled in state roads anywhere. Let the state now finish the work from the Grant Park into the canyon. Only about two miles of road remains to be done. It can be done in time for fair visitors, if the legislature acts, and the work is hastened as soon as the spring opens up.

PROGRESSIVE PLATFORM

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The work of the men who compose the present administration, and those great measures, so new, so bitterly opposed, are safe for the next four years only in the hands of men whose belief in them has been well proved. The present administration of California can be trusted to protect the legislation which it has enacted and to enforce these laws with that intelligent interest, so necessary to make the new legislation successful and popular in operation. The people of the state, moreover, know enough of the character of Governor Johnson and his colleagues to feel sure that whenever experience shows that those laws ought to be amended they will be amended without hesitation and without trickery.

An astounding phenomenon is the offhandness and hypocrisy with which our opponents, the disciples and defenders of the old system of politics and public morals, now rush forward clamoring that to let the credit for the legislation which has proved so beneficial and so popular.

Until a few months ago these men, the candidates and their sponsors, who are seeking again to ride into power, were loud in their outcry against "Frank legislation." They sneered and sneered at all those laws designed to lighten the burdens of the many by abolishing the privileges of the few. But now, with an amazing and amusing change of front, they claim that they enacted that legislation, that they gave to the state equal suffrage, workmen's compensation, the initiative, the referendum, the recall, the economy and efficiency of government wrought by the Board of Control, the public utilities act, and the work of the Railroad Commission, and all the other accomplishments of the present administration.

Our main object in the future will be to prepare and present those general policies of political and social justice which have been established under the present administration. The administration will complete its work by making state elections non-partisan and by favoring State and Federal laws, founded upon adequate investigation, for the establishment of capital, the improvement of organizations having for their purpose the lending of funds to farmers, and by appropriate legislation in behalf of irrigation and reclamation in the Sacramento, San Joaquin and Imperial valleys, and elsewhere as the need exists.

Great Issue. Shall the advance in social legislation, in the regulation of public utilities, in economy of administration, and in governmental honesty and efficiency made by this administration be preserved and perpetuated; shall these great measures of political and social reform enacted by this administration be fairly administered by men and women in sympathy with them, or shall the people of the state, by electing our opponents, go back to those conditions of political and industrial bondage under which they so long suffered? Shall government be impartially and honestly administered in the interest of the governed, or shall we again be exploited by an alliance between dishonest big business and political bosses? These things must be decided by the people of the state of California in this election. Popular government, on trial here in California, is now before the people. It is to be repudiated or approved by the people of this state and they are asked by our opponents to repudiate it on the ground that blind partisanship shall be triumphant. The Progressive party confidently leaves this issue with an enlightened people, believing that only knowledge of the facts and the issues is necessary to insure victory for a just cause.

ADMIT NOT SENDING CHILDREN TO SCHOOL

Three Men Arraigned in Court; Pleas of Guilty Entered

For failing to send their children to school, Mike Gigliatti, Tony Buccano and John De Prima, were arrested yesterday and brought before City Justice Graham. Pleas of guilty were entered by the three men and they will be sentenced Monday. The fathers were instructed to send their children to school today. The complaints were signed by E. P. Stafford, truant officer.

TWO FIRE ALARMS

Two fire alarms were turned in early last night. The first call was from K and Fresno streets, where a fire in the Central States Electrical Company's store thought he saw smoke in the building. He turned in an alarm. A false alarm was turned in from box 23, G and San Joaquin streets.

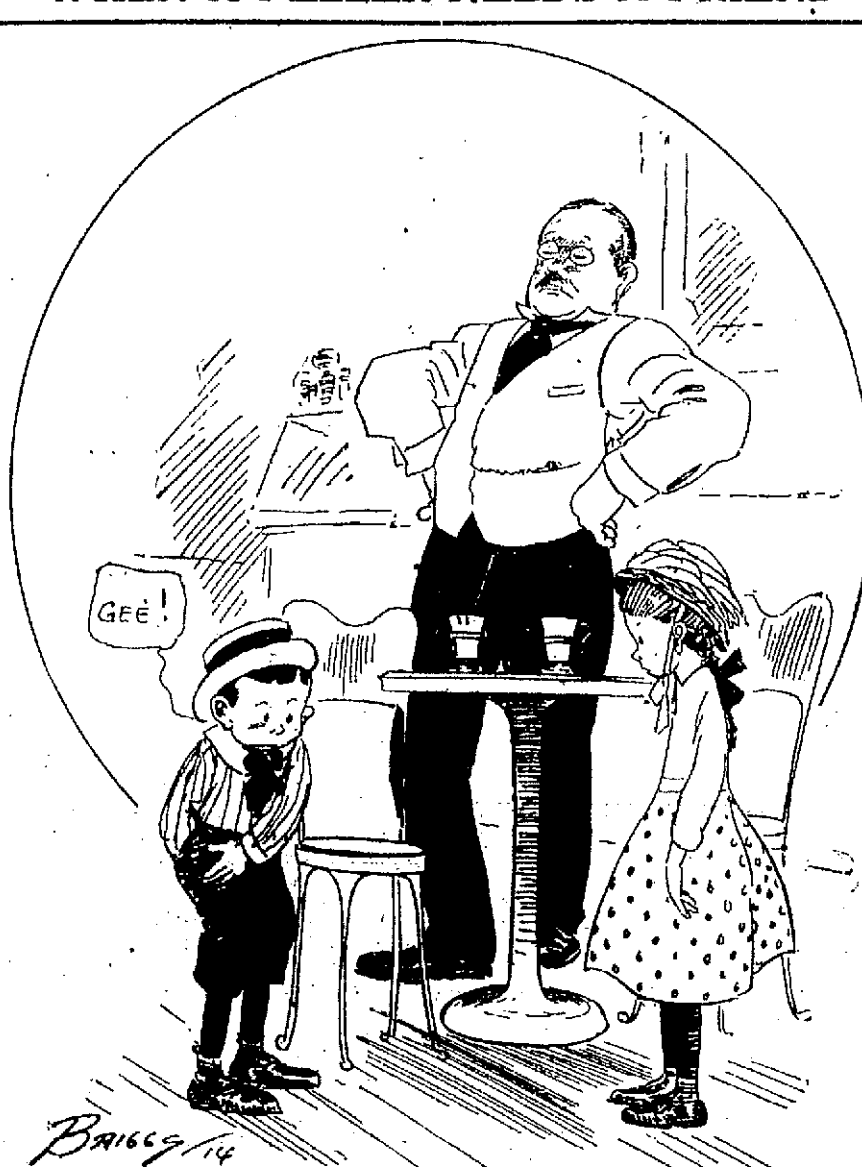
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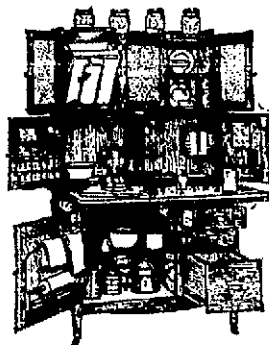
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H. B. Steak, 2 lbs.	25c	Coast Beets, bunch	5c
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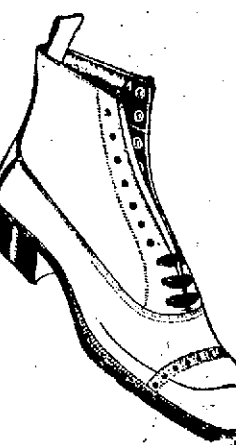
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DOUBLE TRACK WORKWebster Says Street Rail-
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Begin Soon

F. W. Webster, manager of the Fresno Traction company, said yesterday that his company is ready to begin double track work on Fresno avenue as soon as all franchise matters are cleared up according to city requirements. It is, he added, that the city will have all complications removed within three or four weeks. The construction work will last several weeks, as the old single track between Sylvia and Belmont avenues will have to be removed before the double tracks can be laid. This work will cost about \$50,000.

LOCAL BREVITIES

John Elder was given a hearing yesterday before City Justice Graham and found guilty of furnishing liquor to an Indian. He was sentenced to thirty days in jail.
Judgment for the plaintiff was the award yesterday by Judge Church in the case of W. H. Macgillivray against F. D. Hopkins for the cancellation because of the breach of the covenant of a contract of May 18, 1912, for the purchase of 320 acres of land in section 23-14-15 for \$40,000.
Suit was brought yesterday by the Minor & Thornton Company against John H. Rogers, C. W. Jones, W. R. Zibbell and the Fresno Traction Company to quiet ownership title to sections 15 and 16-13-15. The plaintiff company owns dairy grazing land located beyond the city sewer farm.
Upon the request, Judge Church yesterday vacated the interlocutory decree in the divorce case of Maggie K. Snow against Henry H. Snow, following which there was a dismissal. A reconciliation has taken place.
A tentative agreement was entered into yesterday between the Alta Irrigation District and the supervisors by which the latter undertake to pay thirty-six days after completion and acceptance 20 per cent and not exceeding \$2000 on the cost of reconstructing the headgate of the 75 canal on the Kings river north of Mendota. The substructure of this headgate bridge in section 2-14-23 is used by the county as a public highway.
A contract was recorded yesterday between the city of Clovis and W. H. Minard, the executor in minority of the estate of the late W. H. Minard, dated September 7, 1914, of a one-story and basement stucco Carnegie donated library building on lots 25-23 in Clovis town block 21 for the total price of \$6,421.
Manuel Cardero was arrested last night by the police on a charge of grand larceny. Tom Taplan alleges that Cardero stole money from him.

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IN THE LODGE ROOM!

Knight of Pythias.
By order of the main lodge, the initiation fee for the Fresno lodge (Knights of Pythias) was raised to \$20 at a meeting last night. Special services commencing the centennial of the writing of "The Star Spangled Banner" were held last night. A special flag salute was also adopted.
Women of Woodcraft.
A meeting of the Women of Woodcraft will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Hayes, 1014 Fort-camp avenue. All members are urged to attend.

ENDEAVORS DONATE
\$100 FOR DRY FIGHTExpect Amount to Reach
\$250 Before Close
of Week

More than \$100 has been donated by various Christian Endeavor organizations of Fresno county for an advertisement campaign in favor of the California Dry movement. Only half of the Fresno county societies have been heard from, and it is expected that a total of \$250 will be donated. Harrison Han-nan, county treasurer, is handling the funds.
A rally of all Fresno young people will be held at the First M. E. church next Sunday night at 8:30 o'clock. The meeting place was formerly announced as the First Presbyterian church. Rev. R. A. M. Browne of Los Angeles, head of the young people's dry federation of Los Angeles county, is the speaker for the occasion.

PERSONAL MENTION

Professor S. Samuelson of 110 Wagner avenue, has just returned from a two month's visit in San Francisco.
O. Reynolds, a large land owner at San Joaquin, and Mrs. McElroy are at the Hotel Fresno. Among other guests of the Hotel Fresno are J. C. Wood and wife of San Joaquin, Richard Jose of San Francisco, S. W. Foreman of Pasadena, and Hugh Goodfellow of Berkeley.
M. D. Yargar and Charles Epps of Coalinga are at the Fulton-Grand Central. C. L. Claffin of Bakersfield and W. F. Lewis of Selma are also at the Fulton-Grand Central.
R. L. Jolley of Del Rey was a visitor at the Commercial Club yesterday.
Thomas P. McIntyre of Coalinga is at the Sequoia. Some of the others registered at the Sequoia are R. F. Snyder and wife of Piedra, J. L. Daly of Merced and J. H. Hall of Coalinga.
Visitors at the Fresno Chamber of Commerce exhibit yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. P. Linn and L. R. Linn of Topeka, Kan.; Julius Siemens of Bakersfield, Wash.; William R. Crane of Bakersfield, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shuford of Creston, Iowa; and G. Yendo of Tokyo, Japan.
Mrs. A. R. Ore of Visalia is a guest of the Hughes. Others registered at the Hughes are Carl Elkus of San Francisco, J. W. Smith of Orange, Charles E. Burns of Coalinga and C. H. Edwards of Merced.

Is Your Hair Right for the
New Fall Styles?—By Lois

You will delight in arranging your hair in the new and interesting modes of this season if you are among those who keep their hair perfectly soft and appear naturally healthy by use of a shampoo that makes it very fluffy. Do not take chances with some makeshift or unknown soap mixture. I have tried many in search of the best, cheapest and easiest to use and finally have decided to always use canthox, which is made for shampooing only and is so beautifying in its effect upon the hair. I get it at any good drug store and one package lasts so long that it is the most economical shampoo I can get and my first trial convinced me that it was the most easily used. In clearing the scalp and hair of all dirt, dandruff, dirt and excess oil, its delicate perfume makes it very pleasant to the hair roots and not only takes loose dirt but dissolves all the oil accumulations so they are rinsed out instead of being rubbed and scoured out, as with soap and so many cheap washes. My hair is now so fluffy that it seems much heavier than it is naturally.
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MERCHANTS TO STOP
GIVING AWAY PRIZESDistrict Attorney Advises
Firms to Cut Out
Lottery Schemes

With the view of stopping the practice among local merchants of giving away prizes to stimulate trade without court procedure, District Attorney M. F. McCormick yesterday issued an opinion that will probably have a far-reaching effect. This opinion came as a result of various complaints made by competing merchants, who feel that the plan of obtaining business through the lottery or drawing scheme is not legitimate and too expensive for the advantages afforded the merchant running it.
The opinion is to the same line as one rendered about two years ago by ex-District Attorney J. W. Jones. The decision given by Jones broke up the practice in the city until about a year ago, when a local drug firm gave away an automobile by lottery. Now this store is repeating the enterprise and a shoe store and a department store have put on chance prizes.
The opinion given on the practice follows:
"I am of the opinion that the enterprise is a lottery as defined by section 310 of the penal code of this state. A lottery is any scheme for the disposal or distribution of property by chance, among persons who have paid or promised to pay any valuable consideration for the share of any interest in such property upon any agreement, understanding or expectation that it is to be distributed, or disposed by lot or chance, whether called a lottery, raffle, or gift enterprise, or by whatever name it may be known."
(Signed) "M. F. McCormick,
"District Attorney."

MARRIAGE LICENSES

WADE-MATTHEWS—Horace A. Wade, 25, and Genevieve B. Matthews, 25, both of Coalinga.
HALL-SPRAGUE—Wilbert R. Hall, 36, and Beulah P. Sprague, 25, he of Fresno and she of Bakersfield, Cal.
FREEMAN-SPILWELL—Charles Freeman, 20, and Olive Spilwell, 15, he of Fresno and she of Visalia, Cal. R. Spilwell is his guardian and as her father, consenting.

PICK VALLEY MEMBERS
OF STATE COMMITTEEDemocratic Delegates to
Seventh District Meet
in Special Session

Those delegates at the Democratic State convention at Sacramento yesterday representing the Seventh (San Joaquin valley) congressional district met in special session to select their share of the members of the State Central committee. Three members were selected at large from the district; one from each senatorial district, one from each assembly district and one from each of the counties in the congressional district.
Those selected were:
At large—Charles A. Darlow of Bakersfield, Henry Hanson of Fresno and J. M. Griffin of Madera.
Senatorial districts, 12th, Crittenden Hamilton of Sonoma, Tuolumne county; 26th, J. Ed Hughes of Fresno; and 32nd, Ben Madsen of Visalia.
Assembly districts, 45th, George Fink of Crow's Landing; 49th, A. L. Shuman of Merced; 50th, R. L. Peeler of Coalinga; 51st, T. E. Collins of Fresno; 52nd, J. J. Vanderburgh of Selma; 54th, John G. Covert of Hanford; 55th, Earl A. Bagby of Visalia; and 56th, Mrs. W. H. Duncan of Bakersfield.
Counties: Stanislaus, T. J. Wisecarver of Modesto; Merced, Edgar Hogan of Livingston; Madera, S. Sledge of Madera; Fresno, Russell Uhler of Fresno; Kings, Charles King of Hanford; Tulare, T. M. Twaddle of Tulare; and Kern, Fred H. Hall of Bakersfield.
In addition to these district representatives, the State central committee will include forty to be appointed from the state at large. It will number 360 in all.

COLORED "DRYS"
TO HOLD BANQUET

The colored people of Fresno and surrounding country will hold a Dry Federation rally at the African M. E. church tonight. L. M. Timmins, president of the federation, will preside at the dining. Mrs. M. Timmins and B. H. Simmons will sing several selections.
Following the gathering at the church, a "dry" supper will be served about 150 persons at the Y. W. C. A. cafeteria. Grape juice will be the drink of the evening. The Rev. Dan Shannon will probably make an after dinner talk.

BIG MEETING IS
WELL ATTENDED

"Just being a church member does not make you a Christian any more than being in a barn makes you a horse," was the statement of the Rev. Mr. Allen at the Evangelistic services last night, being conducted at the corner of Hoine and Van Ness streets. Rev. Mr. Allen is conducting the religious services in the absence of Evangelist Dan Shannon. Services will be held every evening this week and the public is invited. Large crowds are attending.

CLOUDY WEATHER
IS PREDICTION

Cloudy weather is predicted for Fresno and vicinity today and tomorrow by the weather bureau. A storm over northern California and southern Oregon moved northward with slight showers. No rain is predicted for the Fresno district.
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Newest Long Tunic Models

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—150 in the assortment—every oneworth at least \$8.98, choice today

\$7.50 Fall Skirts \$4.98

—Classy Fall skirts of fine serge with long tunics in fancy mixtures and novelty cloths.
—Scores in this lot—\$7.50 values, priced

\$1.50 Fall Waists 98c

—Another great purchase of 50 dozen Autumn Waists—the most beautiful creations ever shown at such a low pricing. Made of fine linene materials and beautifully trimmed with laces. High or low neck styles with long or 3-4 sleeves. All sizes. \$1.50 values; choice

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—Here are the new season's leading silk fabrics at Special Underpricings. It's quite unusual for new fabrics to be offered at the very beginning of a season at special reductions, but this is the way we conduct our business—the secret of our tremendous success.

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\$2.25 Pussy Willow Taffeta \$1.89

—Several hundred yards of this fashionable silk fabric. Colors are wistaria, brown, navy, copenhagen and black; 40 inches wide.

\$1.00 Silk Poplin at 89c

—36-inch silk poplin in navy, pigeon, wistaria, copenhagen, cream and black.

\$1.50 Silk-and-Wool Poplin \$1.25

—48-inch silk-and-wool Poplin in new shades of green, blue, copenhagen, wistaria, old rose, mink, apricot, cream or black.

FITZPATRICKS ARE
HOME AFTER TOUR

Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzpatrick and their daughter, Frances, returned to Fresno yesterday after a several months' absence on a tour through America, during which they visited relatives of Mr. Fitzpatrick at Houston, Maine, and toured through Canada. Mr. Fitzpatrick is heavily interested in lumber in this section of the state, and is identified with the Pine Ridge Lumber company and the Fresno Plume and Lumber company. Mr. Fitzpatrick also has extensive land interests in this county.
When near their journey's end they had a narrow escape from serious injury in a railroad accident. Just as they were nearing Seattle the baggage coach of their train broke an axle and the rear coaches piled up with the exception of the last car in which the Fitzpatrick family were traveling. No one was seriously injured in the wreck.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to express our sincere gratitude to our friends for their kindly expressions of sympathy, for their beautiful floral offerings sent to the funeral of Mrs. Mary W. Reiss and for numerous kindnesses shown us in our bereavement. A. W. REISS and Family
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POLITICAL CARDS

General Election, Tuesday
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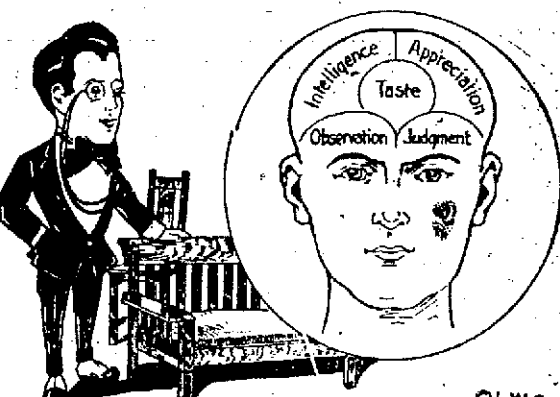
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Society and Clubs



Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shunk, who were married at Weston, Iowa, on September 9.

One of the interesting features of the big specialty in the huge dancing pavilion which is now being erected. A

What Anne Rittenhouse Says About the Styles

PARIS, Sept. 16.—The one or two new materials that have been brought out for winter are so old-fashioned that they are strongly suggestive of the photographs in the family albums.

Picture in your mind a full skirt of black gros-grain silk, burred off into squares by bands of black velvet, and above this a long smooth bodice, or short chemise, of black velvet that has no opening in front, its long sleeves touching the wrists and its rolling collar going straight around the neck.

One looks for the prunella suiters and the tiny tilted hat with the velvet ribbons streaming down the back.

Velvet for Separate Coats.

This silk and velvet fabric is a novelty that is used by many of the houses to more or less extent. Premet makes a feature of it and one of the smart houses in New York plays it up with emphasis.

Just as was prophesied early in the summer, there is a great deal of velvet used. Drevoll makes some immensely good looking evening gowns of it in a bright tone of red, which one may call geranium for want of better name.

Calot uses it for coats to go with many kinds of skirts, and for coats that curve in at the waistline and flare out below. One does not see many one-piece frocks for everyday wear in this fabric, and coat suits that are intended for the street even when they have a velvet coat, will carry a cloth skirt.

On second thought, one cannot lay this down as a rule, for Premet has introduced a full plaid velvet skirt with a short coat in a solid color, but the color is too brilliant to make it serviceable for walking. Instead of severe Madame Cherullo favors a material called vicrome, which is somewhat coarser than gabardine in its ribbing, but is exceedingly soft, as may be imagined when one remembers that its translation into English is swaddown.

American women who are buying suits over here, (as the process gives them something to do while they are playing the "watchful waiting" game for a steamer) look strong fancy to this fabric and have been ordering suits of it in dark blue and dull wine color with collars of racoon and monkey fur.

Ratine and velours-de-laine are both used by all the big houses. The dressmakers claim that this weave of it will wear better than any of the former weaves, as the manufacturers have been able to give it a protected surface.

Silk duvetyne has been dropped out for everyone admits that it was entirely unreliable last winter. Plaid velvet is one of the novelties, but it is not used in mass. There will be a skirt of it with a dark coat, or collars and cuffs, a cloth coat, or a shaped slip robe to hold in place the pleats of dark cloth or velvet spread out below.

Covert cloth is tried out by Calot and a few others who show it in very English coat suits without trimming. One of the loveliest fabrics for evening is satin lame. It was suggested by the lame lace of last summer—a flat rolled thread of silver or gold put on a satin surface in stripes or in design.

September Preserves

September preserving is by all odds the most pleasant of the fruit season. The days are much cooler, fruits are abundant and cheap, and the preserving and pickling is of the pungent, spicy nature that is a distinct relief after the earlier preserves of a cloying nature. Such fruits and vegetables as are now in the market should be bought early in the morning and cooked immediately. Here are some old-fashioned recipes which it will pay over a city woman to try. If the ingredients are bought at the proper figure the results will be much cheaper than factory-made articles, even with sugar at war time prices.

The grape season is now at its height nearly all over the country. Here are the three suggestions for tasty grape condiments:

GRAPE BUTTER—Separate the pulp and the skin of the grapes. After boiling the pulp, strain it through a coarse sieve. Mix this with the skins and then measure. Boil half an hour, then add to it a pint of sugar to each quart of grapes and cook them until thick and jellyed.

SPICED GRAPES—In this country, where grapes are both abundant and cheap, there is no reason why this exceedingly toothsome relish should be widely known. Select good Concord grapes, and to each eight pounds allow five pounds of sugar, one pint of vinegar, two tablespoonfuls of ground cinnamon, one tablespoonful of black pepper. Rinse the grapes lightly with cold water. Remove the skins and place them in a kettle with enough water to cover them. Then stand over the fire and stew until tender. Put the juice and pulp into an enameled kettle and heat until the boiling point is reached. Then press through a colander fine enough to retain the seeds. Return to the fire, add the sugar, vinegar and spices, also the tender skins and the water. Cook until thick and finish as for spiced pears.

GRAPE CATSUP—Take nine pounds of strained grapes, five pounds of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of cinnamon, all-spice, cloves and one-fourth spoon of red pepper. Add this together until thick and when cool thin with vinegar. Copyright, 1914, by the McClure Newspaper Syndicate.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott McKay and children have returned from a fortnight's motoring trip to Santa Cruz and San Francisco.

The First Division of the Ladies Aid Society of the First M. E. Church will meet with Mrs. R. T. Hall this afternoon at her home on Van Ness avenue at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Possons have returned from Los Angeles, where the former joined his family for the last two weeks of their sojourn in the south.

Mrs. W. H. Foster is in from Clovis for a visit with Mrs. C. H. Carroll at her home on J street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wakefield have returned from a two weeks' sojourn at Red Bluff.

The Social Service Club of the Congregational church will entertain on Friday evening in the church parlors, the students and teachers of the Normal school to be especially invited guests for the evening. Ralph Vianello, the president of the society, has the evening's program in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Van Eaton have returned from an interesting trip to Sacramento and San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Will Collins have returned from Collins Springs, where they have been sojourning for a time.

Mrs. Charles Hill and her father, C. A. Carroll, leave today for the former's home in Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Carroll will spend the winter in the south, planning to return to California next spring.

Mrs. A. Crowley and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Platt, all of Los Angeles, are visiting Mrs. C. W. Edgerly of this city on their return trip from the Yosemite Valley and the bay cities, where they have spent several delightful weeks. Miss Pearl Edgerly will accompany them as far as Santa Ana, where she is to teach this year in the Santa Ana high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vost, are enjoying their vacations at the Southern California beach resorts. They expect to be away about two weeks.

Miss Gene Venable left yesterday for Sacramento and will later go to San Francisco. She expects to be away from this city for about ten days.

Wilbert R. Hall of Fresno and Miss Beulah Sprague of Bakersfield were united in marriage last evening. The marriage took place at the parsonage of the Congregational church, Rev. T. T. Gillen officiating.

The Social Service club of the Congregational church will entertain (Friday), tomorrow evening, in the church parlors in honor of the Normal students and the new teachers of the city schools. Games and music will fill the evening. All are welcomed.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Nelson, 275 Valencia street, entertained twenty-six guests at dinner Tuesday night in honor of visitors from Washington, and later a trip was made to Easton in automobiles, where an entertainment was given in a church.

A Complete Stock of New Fall Goods

Now On Display

The very newest novelties at reasonable prices—

New basque and tunic dresses from \$12.95 to \$30—

New waists in attractive up-to-date models from \$1.95 to \$10.00—

New skirts in tunic-yoke and other popular styles—\$3.95 to \$12.50—

A big line of children's outer wearing apparel—priced from 98¢ to \$10.00.

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Novelties

The large Tango hair pin, in fancy and plain. Prices 25¢ to \$1.00

Children's solid gold rings, plain and with sets. Prices 50¢ to \$1.25

The sanitary powder puff case with puff and mirror. Price 35¢

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Gold filled, hand engraved cameo pin. Price 75¢

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A full line of materials by the yard—velvets—silks—ribbons—chiffon, etc., in plain—Roman stripes and novelties—also—gold and silver cloth and lace—flowers—fancies—plumes—wings—ornaments—aligrettes—ostrich novelties, etc.—all at moderate prices—

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Silk shadow lace in cream: 14 in. \$1.00; 18 in. \$1.50; 23 in. \$2.00

Figured chiffon cloth, white with pink, 44 in. \$1.50

White with blue, 44 in. \$1.50

Green medallions, in two patterns. 25¢ each.

Baby Fakes; very dainty. 20¢, 25¢ and 35¢ each—

40-Inch Luxor Crepes \$1.50

This is a beautiful silk and wool crepe with a soft lustrous finish—that is extremely popular for Fall dresses—

Comes in all the new shades—purple—bisque—terra cotta—copen—labrador and marine—an extremely good value.

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Several years ago I was in Los Angeles talking to some people about coming up to the San Joaquin valley to live, when I was introduced to a little fellow about the size of Sir John Jellicoe. The amount of money this little fellow had was in due proportion to the size of his physique. He said that if I would help him and stick with him a little while he was sure he could make good. He was a blacksmith by trade. I went to his home and talked to his wife. She said she was ready for the battle, too. So I said to this young chap "I'll take a chance on you." He and his family came and moved onto twenty acres of land. Not more than two weeks ago he came into my office, and while we were talking about things in general, I said to him, "What do you consider yourself worth today?" He said "About \$5,000, and I owe my start to you."
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Announcement was made yesterday by the Fresno County Commission of the Valley Association that they had arranged with DeWitt H. Gray to accept the position of manager-secretary for Fresno county. Mr. Gray took up his duties at once and is now at the Fresno headquarters.

The announcement of the appointment of Mr. Gray to the important position, recently vacated by the resignation of L. L. Monroe, is pleasing to the members of the Fresno county commission, as they feel that in Mr. Gray they will have a most valuable manager for their important work.

Mr. Gray is now from unknown in Fresno. For three years he was the

president of the Fresno Real Estate Board, and also served for a year as president of the California State Federation of Real Estate Boards. He served for two years on the executive committee of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce, and was the first man, seven years ago, who arranged for a Fresno exhibit at Los Angeles so that this county could obtain its share of the colossal trade that came through that section of the state. Mr. Gray also arranged for a Fresno county drive exhibit at the National Grange show. He has been engaged in publicity and promotional work for the past ten years. He is the author of several pamphlets that have accomplished a great deal for the advertising of Fresno county.

Mr. Gray, who is the owner of extensive land interests in the Kings River citrus district, was formerly in the real estate business, but has not been engaged in land brokerage for four years. He will give his entire time to the work of the Valley Association until the closing of the two expositions next year.

A general meeting of the directors of the San Joaquin Valley Counties Association is to be held this morning. Reports of progress on the installations at San Diego and at San Francisco will be received at this time, and announcement of the results of the gathering of the exhibit matter will also be made.

NOTICE—"KINDERGARTEN."

Mrs. H. D. Carver will open her "Kindergarten" at 804 Van Ness, Monday, Oct. 5th. No auto service. Parents wishing to bring their children, Phone 2312 W. mornings, for enrollment.

—Advertisement.

SOME DRUG PRICES HAVE QUADRUPLED

Epsom Salts, Peroxide
and Photo Supplies
Included

The war in Europe is playing havoc with the prices of drugs and chemicals, according to local druggists and wholesalers all over the country. Most goods along this line have advanced 15 per cent, but some gains have amounted to 400 per cent and a number of chemicals have absolutely disappeared from the market.

People will find that until the war is over or conditions are changed, that getting sick will in many cases involve about double expense for a dose of any common remedy. Epsom salts has doubled in price. Rochelle salts or elutriate of magnesia have also advanced.

Amateur photography will be badly crippled from now on. Many of the chemicals used in developing and printing pictures have disappeared from the market and wholesale houses have announced that as the manufacture is confined to Germany there is no prospect of getting new supplies.

Rubber goods have appreciably increased in price from rubber bands to fire hose. Rubber sundry lines carried in drug houses have increased on the average of 20 per cent.

Most of the druggists report that the peroxide blowers are allowing their hair to resume its natural color as the result of a doubling in price of this article. The increase is attributed to the increase in chemicals used in the manufacture.

"Many common drugs and chemicals are the by-products of large chemical factories in Germany and France," explained a local druggist yesterday. "Americans can manufacture these, but are unable to produce them as cheaply as the Europeans. The supply being now exhausted, the opportunity is given the Americans of entering this field of industry and if factories are once started they will find means of turning the articles out as low in price as the Europeans."

Wholesalers and manufacturers will not quote prices 24 hours in advance, say all the dealers. Many of the larger wholesale firms are said to be speculating in the drugs in certain cases, but on the whole the increase is due to the severing of the American markets from the source of supply.

TWO CAR THIEVES ESCAPE BASTILE

George Waldron and Jack Edwards pleaded guilty yesterday to charges of vagrancy and were sentenced to 180 days in jail with the county workhouse pending good behavior. Waldron and Edwards were previously accused of stealing Grant Falkenstein's automobile but the charge was reduced to a misdemeanor.

BIG AUDIENCE HEARS REPLY TO MINISTER

Mrs. Wrightman Takes
Rev. Simmons to Task
for Turlock Sermon

TURLOCK, Sept. 16.—An audience of fully 1,000 people, one of the largest crowds ever assembled at a street meeting here, was present this evening to hear the reply of Mrs. Lulu Wrightman, a lecturer on religious liberty, to the sermon of Rev. J. U. Simmons, delivered Sunday night, in which he spoke on the topic of "The Devil in Petticoats," and referred to Mrs. Wrightman as voicing the sentiments of the lowest classes of society.

The speaker stated that in the time of Christ it was from the lowest classes of society from which the Savior's followers were secured, and that it was the church trust of 1890 years ago that nullified Jesus to the cross.

She quoted from the Bible Christ's denunciation of the scribes and Pharisees, as hypocrites, and declared that if Christ were to come to Turlock today he would denounce in the same words Rev. Simmons and other religious bigots who are seeking to control the civil authorities.

Mrs. Wrightman denied Simmons' charge that she was in the grasp of the Royal Arch, but stated that if it were a matter of choice, she would rather be hired by the Royal Arch than by the dregs, for she had never known of the Royal Arch trying to drive out of town a speaker who disagreed with it.

An attempt was made to have Mrs. Wrightman arrested for blocking the street with her meeting, and a request was made of the police officer on duty to do so by a woman spectator, but the officer refused to make the arrest without a warrant being sworn to.

Mrs. Wrightman disclaims any connection with the wet and dry fight in California. She states that she has been engaged for the past 25 years in lecturing in the east on the subject of personal and religious liberty, and is now making a tour of the coast. She states, however, that she is opposed to the proposed Sunday law now before the people of this state.

MODESTO GRAPES ARE SENT EAST

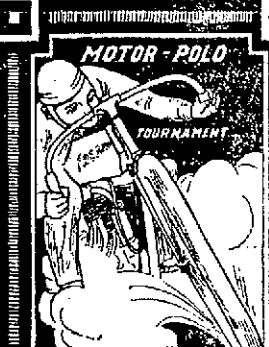
MODESTO, Sept. 16.—Eleven carloads of Malaga and Tokay grapes have been shipped from Modesto, through the California Fruit Exchange, since the opening of the season last week. Returns from the first carloads have been a sale price of 90 cents to \$1.45 a 20-pound crate of four baskets, which is considered very profitable. J. S. Rhodes, who has charge of the packing at the Farmers' Union, is employing thirty-five packers at present. A dozen ranchers with vineyards of from five to 160 acres have been marketing their fruit in this way. Most of the Modesto fruit is going to the markets of Louisiana, Texas and Mississippi.

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AMUSEMENTS



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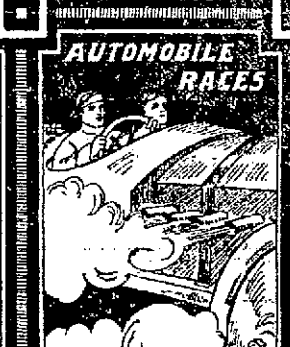
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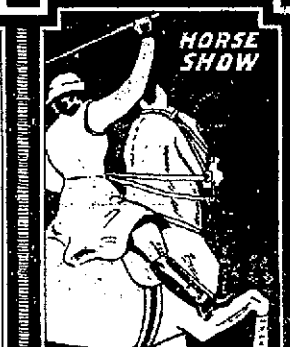
C. G. EBERHART, Secretary

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All school children UNDER 15, who call at the office of the Fair Association in the basement of the Chamber of Commerce building Saturday will be given a free pass.



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Something new from our bakery,
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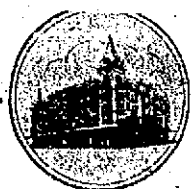
1 Liquid Veneer, 1.00 size \$1.00
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WELLS' NAME TO BE PUT ON GENERAL BALLOT

County Clerk Holds Law Not Mandatory on Time Limit

Justice of Peace Candidate in Same Situation As Supervisor

Convinced that he will be acting according to the state law governing campaign expenses of candidates, County Clerk Barnwell will place the name of Charles Wells, who is running for county supervisor in opposition to Supervisor Thomas Martin, on the ballot for the general election to be held on November 3.

Mr. Barnwell is acting in accordance with advice given by the district attorney, whose interpretation of the law is to the effect that it is not mandatory that a candidate failing to file his campaign expense account with the county clerk fifteen days following the primaries shall have his name kept off the ballot for the general election. Under former interpretation it was held that as a penalty for failing to file the campaign expense account within fifteen days following the primary election, the candidate's name would be withheld from the ballot. However, the district attorney, according to Mr. Barnwell, declares that a candidate must file his campaign expense account in time for it to be checked and registered by the clerk before the general election.

Should some person obtain a writ of prohibition, Mr. Barnwell would be forced to seek a court decision as to the actual meaning of the "fifteen day clause," which was neglected by Wells, before he could place the candidate's name on the ballot. Mr. Barnwell said last night that he does not believe and will seek a writ of prohibition and that Wells will have no further trouble. The district attorney is also of the opinion that the decision would be in favor of the candidate. Mr. Barnwell stated that so far as he was advised, Mr. Martin will not raise any opposition to his action in placing Wells' name on the ballot.

J. B. Simerly of Riverdale is in the same boat with Mr. Wells. He forgot to file his campaign expense account within the fifteen day period, but will have his name put on the ballot for justice of the peace, township No. 15.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH SELECTS OFFICERS

H. A. Savage Named General Superintendent of Sunday School

The officers and teachers of the First Christian Bible School met on Tuesday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. O. Breeden for the first regular workers' conference of the fall. A brief but much enjoyed talk was given by Dr. W. A. Breeden. Plans for the fall work were made, and organization was effected by the election of the following as the officers for the ensuing Bible school year:

General Superintendent, H. A. Savage; associate superintendent, L. M. Ballard; general secretary, Rex Carter; general treasurer, Miss Edith Higgins; organist, Miss Gladys Greenwood; pianist, Miss Elsie Kice; department superintendents: Primary and beginners, Mrs. Mary L. Westover; junior, Miss Hattie Jones; intermediate and senior, Mrs. E. C. Malott; adult, S. L. Allen; home, Mrs. William Wakefield; cradle roll, Miss Naomi Greene; temperance, Mrs. J. W. Raybourn; missionary, Miss Hazel Turner; teacher training, Mrs. H. F. Wakefield.

ELECT DELEGATES TO SACRAMENTO MEETING

Fifteen delegates to the Older Boys conference at Sacramento, September 26 to 27, were elected last night at a meeting of the Fresno Conference club at the Y. M. C. A. Jean Vincent, president of the Northern Delegation of Older Boys, and also the head of the local body, will be in charge of the Fresno delegation. Other delegates are Ed Faddis, Chester Bartlett, Irving White, Alvin Bartlett, Mark Kelling, Charles Rutledge, Homer Hatfield, Carroll Roberts, Frank Cowgill, William Livingston, Chester Bray, Oscar Hannah and Chris Hanson.

Delegates will meet Friday night of this week to practice yells. The local delegation leaves Friday morning, September 25, for Stockton, making the remainder of the trip by interurban lines.

First Is Father; Then Guardian; Now Father-in-Law

Charles Freeman, aged 29, and Miss Alice Stillwell, aged 18, and both of Visalia, were nonplussed for a time yesterday because of the inability to secure a license to marry on account of his minor age. He could not possibly secure consent of parents, because, forsooth, his father has been dead many years and his mother he has not seen since an infant of 2 years. A lawyer was consulted, and he pointed out the course to pursue. If Stillwell, the father of the girl, consented to the marriage of his daughter and then secured an appointment as guardian of the young man in order to consent to his marriage. As soon as Judge Austin had appointed the prospective father-in-law as guardian of the groom the legal consent was given, the license issued, and so the children, as the law regarded them, were married.

LOCAL SERVANS CONDEMN AUSTRIA

Lecturer Tells of Conditions in Warring Nations

Strong resolutions condemning the course of action taken by the government of Austria-Hungary against the Servians were adopted at a meeting of Servian and Croatian residents of Fresno in Petkovich Hall last night. The father of the race, present, they listened to a lecture by Theodore Demitryjevich, the noted Servian lecturer, now traveling through the United States and telling of conditions in Servia. Demitryjevich speaks under the auspices of M. I. Suprun, the consular general for Servia in the United States.

"Conditions in Austria-Hungary are terrible," stated Demitryjevich, "and everything is taxed there. The livestock from cattle to roosters and there is even a tax on rooms and windows. Austria-Hungary is the most barbarous nation the world. Servia, on the other hand, is democratic, and there is no antagonism between classes, and every religion and nationality are welcomed."

"Since the last Balkan war Servia has grown and prospered. Of the 11,000,000 population of Austria-Hungary at present, 29,000,000 are Servians, and 6,000,000 are either Servians or Croats. They are all suffering terribly from persecutions at the hands of the Austrians."

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM

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find a satisfactory and economical method of solving this great question. Under Republican administration, the Federal government created the Commission on Industrial Relations for this purpose, and we hereby affirm our belief that investigations of this kind will point the way to a just dispute.

Primary.
The Direct Primary law was originally conceived by the Republican party, and the Republican party reaffirms its belief in its principles. We believe that practice and experience are demonstrating the necessity for its simplification, and that the question should be carefully studied, with a view of ascertaining some method of lessening the cumbersome and expensive procedure at present in effect.

Railroad Commission.

We affirm our approval of and faith in the Railroad Commission of California, reorganized under a Republican administration two years before the present administration came into power. The constitutional amendment under which this commission was granted powers, second only to those of the Supreme court of the state, received the approval of a majority of all parties. It was conceived under a Republican administration, and under a Republican administration will be firmly upheld and maintained. In view of the political activity of members of this quasi-judicial body, we believe that its position as a court of arbitration between the people and the public utilities will be strengthened by legislation prescribing that members of that commission shall take no part in party politics.

Compensation Act.
We approve, in principle, the Workmen's Compensation Act. This humanitarian measure was enacted by Republican administration, and we believe that the operation of this law demonstrates some defects which should be corrected after thorough investigation of the subject.

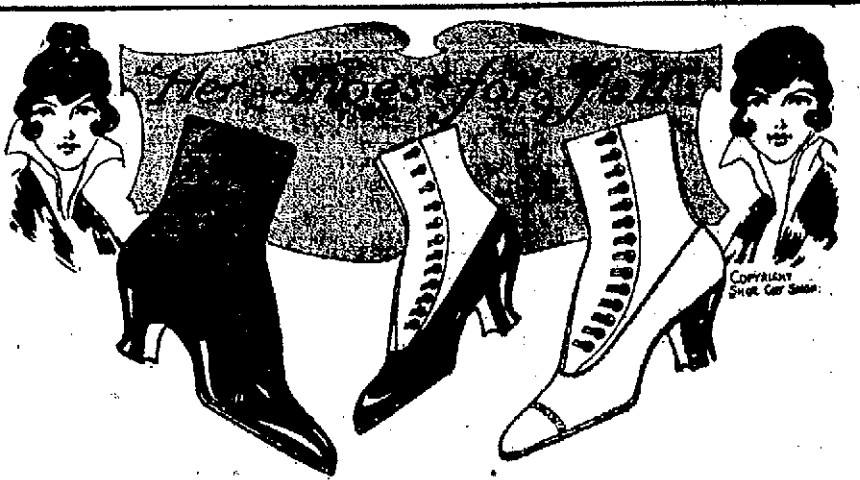
Merchant Marine.

We believe in aiding American shipping by such policy as the Republican party. We have seen how the Democratic tariff has brought stagnation to business throughout the nation, and threatened disaster to industries peculiar to this state. It appears to have been ingeniously designed to injure California. It has opened the ports to importations of food stuffs produced under conditions of labor and investment with which our standards of living does not permit competition. It undermines our home industries, without reducing the cost of living. The consumer pays as much as ever, but time lost to pay with.

The Democratic platform declared that tariff reduction should be made upon articles entering into competition with trust controlled products. But when that party attained power, about the only articles it appeared to find in this class were products of the farm, orchard and dairy, ninety percent of which it placed on the free list, without, however, any reduction in the cost of living.

The conditions that exist in this state with respect to the removal and delivery of such goods and services have been brought about except for the franchise and desertion of the Republican party by the leaders and radical element of the Progressive party, who are equally responsible with the Democrats therefor.

We demand that tariff duties be levied in a manner to equalize the difference in cost of production at home and abroad, and we favor a return to the Republican policies of protection to American industry, American labor and the American producer.



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Practically every leather is represented in this big lot and all lasts. You have your choice of either high or low heels. These shoes are nicely finished and are solid leather throughout.

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The mail order department is ready to give you satisfactory service at all times.

The big stock at low prices makes it possible to fill your order perfectly. Write what you want and your order will be given prompt attention. Many people order from us in this way and are entirely satisfied. We guarantee quality.

We Have Had to Place Shoes on Sale Here That Were Meant For Our New Store

We expected to have been in our new store by this time. But the work has been delayed. The stock we expected to open with there has already arrived and we must therefore place them on sale at this store.

The newest, snappiest styles of early fall are here for you to select from. They are in a complete assortment.

New Store To Be Thoroughly Modern

The new store at 936 J street is being fitted to our needs and will be the most complete and modern in the valley. Also it will have the most complete stock of any and the greatest floor space.

Boys' School Shoes, \$2.00 Values

These school shoes for boys are made of genuine caesio calfskin, sold throughout. They are in sizes 1-2 to 5-12. Unusually good values.

Men's Dress Shoes, Worth \$3.50 \$2.45

Genuine gun metal calfskin is the leather used in these handsome dress shoes. They are in either button or lace styles and have solid oak soles. All up-to-date lasts.

Women's Patent \$3.00 Blucher Shoes

These are made of the highest grade of patent kid; they have extension soles and are in the new up-to-date styles. The heels are the new Cuban fashion.

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Almost everyone will want to dance this winter and music will therefore be more of an urgent need than ever before.

An orchestra can, of course, be engaged for the more formal affairs, but any orchestra you employ will adhere strictly to regularly appointed hours and will be available only on certain specified dates.

The modern dances are essentially spontaneous. That is where much of their charm lies. Another salient feature is that they may be just as readily danced upon the porch, or indeed upon the lawn, as upon the floor of the ballroom; and because of these conditions, formal dances once or twice a week no longer suffice the young people, nor indeed the many older ones who have become devotees of the modern dances.

On rainy days—and there will be many such days during the winter months—there will be need of dance music almost any hour of the day, and quite regardless of the weather, a little informal dance every night will be the generally accepted diversion.

How will you satisfy this need? With a Victrola.

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Mystery Solved.

For further details of this exciting episode of the "Perils of Pauline" we refer you to another section of today's Republican.

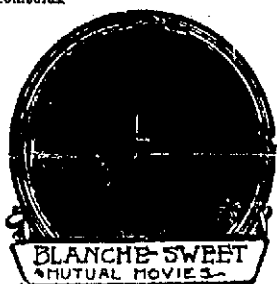
The causes that were stolen from our Mutual Girl are returned this week in a rather sensational manner. Duhlar innocent but hurt leaves for Europe, where he is still with Irvin Cobb, the author.

Mary Fuller Does Something New

Mary Fuller doesn't get married, neither does she race for a million or a newspaper story, but she does reign serenely and belatedly over a tribe of Norse Vikings, one of whom betrays her, but she recovers her throne after an exciting fight. This story is taken

from Norse Mythology and is accurately portrayed.

There's a Keystone—that needs no description. When there is William Douglas, a French Trick comedy—none can beat the French at this trick stuff and a couple of good Bio comedies.



Coming in "The Escape."

"Larry" Griffith in choosing his types for the "Escape," demanded perfect visualization. The "Escape" shows Griffith at his best and Blanche Sweet and Mae Marsh are supremely at their very best.

No Fainting—No Weeping.

Watch these two women in the "Escape." They don't wave their arms around, they don't postulate wildly and they don't contort their features like the characters in a ridiculous nine-novel dream.



Coming in "The Escape."

Not once, under stress of emotion, do Sweet or Marsh faint, clutch their hearts, tear their hair or fall weeping and sobbing convulsively upon the arm of a chair.

They do, however, show their emotions and more effectively, too, by delicate changes of expression and tentative movements such as are natural to men and women when they are momentarily stunned and know not which way to turn.

Blanche Sweet on The Rosy Path

Blanche Sweet as May Joyce escapes from her terrible position by "choosing the easier way." Jonnie (Mae Marsh) weaker physically and less attractive, finally escapes, too, after a series of truly thrilling scenes, but her escape takes her over the threshold of the "Great Beyond." The story, telling and superb cast of characters in "The Escape" stamp the play as the greatest step taken forward in the history of motion pictures.—Adv.

"TREY O'HEARTS" IS STUDY IN PASSIONS

Daring Action at Sea in
Today's Reels at
Bijou

Pit brother against brother and you have enemies who hate relentlessly and unforgettingly. Draw members of a family into a feud and you have sown the seeds of enmity that will grow and multiply for generations. This is so in the story of "Trey O'Hearts." It has been used many times by novelists. But it has never been more forcibly and strikingly illustrated than in the gripping serial now running at the Bijou theater on Thursdays.

"The Trey O'Hearts" puts sister against sister. Two sisters, the same physical mould, so confusingly alike that even the sweetheart of the gentler twin can not always be sure to which he is talking, are battling one against another. Rather, the sisterly oath taken by Judith and her hatred for her twin sister, Rose, forces her heartlessly to pursue her sister's sweetheart, Alan Law. Nor is the pursuit a colorless or quiet one. Judith has sworn to take Alan's life, and her own volcanic hatred for all that is good makes the oath a congenial one.

With the varying fortunes of chance, that whimsical fate which takes a hand at the most opportune moments, Alan and Rose have been able to baffle the most carefully laid plans of Judith and her villainous hirelings who are so earnestly striving to capture or kill Alan, and perhaps to bring to Rose at the same time if need be.

Rose, waking from her drugged sleep in the hotel, is taken to the fishing schooner and locked in her state room. The schooner then puts to sea. Alan and Rose, watching the yacht Sea Venture burn. They also see Judith and the crew of the schooner put toward shore in a dory, but do not recognize them. When within a few rods of shore they begin shooting at Alan and Rose, but the latter escape. Though pursued, they manage to make their way to the dory, creep aboard, overpower the watchman, and pull for the schooner. They are discovered midway by Judith, but the latter is unable to stop them. Racing down the beach, however, they break into a deserted life-saving station, steal the power launch, and start for the schooner.

Marcus and Alan make their way on board where they discover Rose and release her. The stolen launch with Judith on board is approaching, and Marcus fidgets at the discovery. Before they are well under way they are overtaken and Judith with her mercenaries climb aboard, surprising Marcus and

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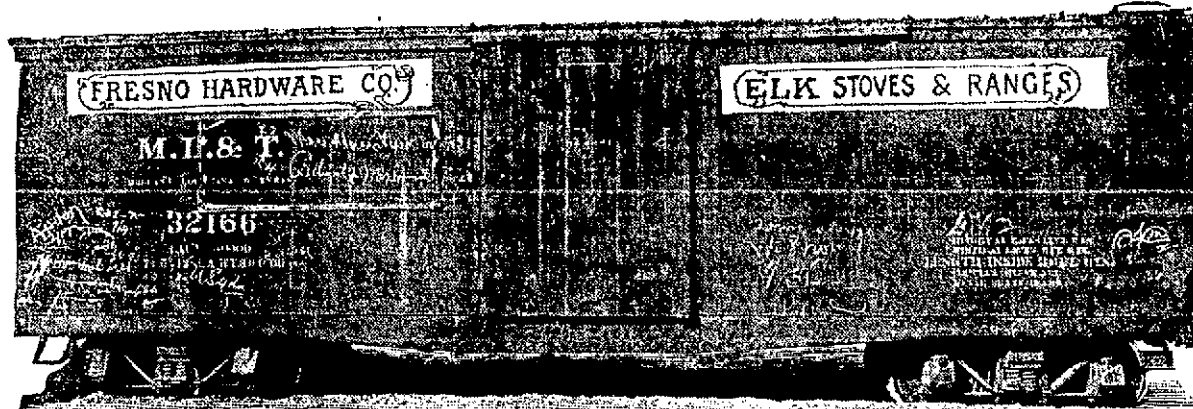
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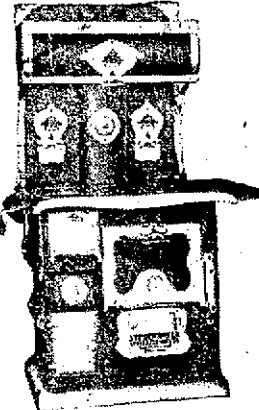


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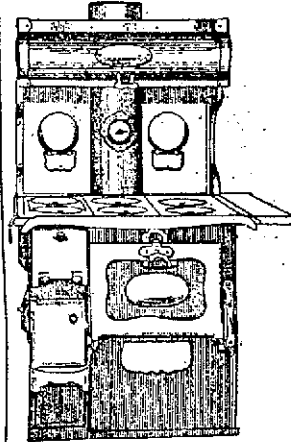
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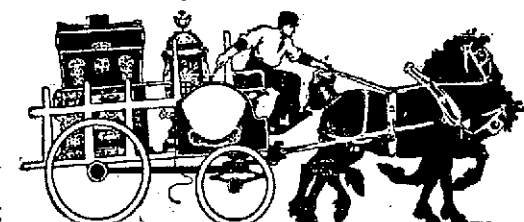
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ADVENTISTS PLAN REVIVAL MEETINGS

First Series of Evening Lectures Begins Next Sunday

At a meeting of the church council of the Seventh-day Adventist church held last evening, it was decided to adopt plans presented by the pastor, N. J. Nelson, for a series of revival meetings to be held in their church on the corner of Mariposa and O streets beginning Sunday evening. Pastor H. H. Hedden, the president of the Central California Conference, was invited to join the pastor in this effort. The pastor announced the following program for the first week:

Sunday, Sept. 20, "The King's Message—The glorification of the Atonement;" Monday, Sept. 21, "The Cry of the World for the Living God;" Tuesday, Sept. 22, "The Kingdom of God is Within You;" Wednesday, Sept. 23, "The Kingdom of God is Within You;" Thursday, Sept. 24, "The Kingdom of God is Within You;" Friday, Sept. 25, "The Kingdom of God is Within You;" Saturday, Sept. 26, "The Kingdom of God is Within You;" Sunday, Sept. 27, "The Kingdom of God is Within You."

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TAX RATES FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Refunds Coming in Fifty and Additional Collectible in Seventy-Eight

There is hardly a school district in the county in which the taxpayer will not during the coming tax year either make additional payment, receive a refund on personal property tax charges because of the variance in rates on last year and the coming year. Refunds will be forthcoming in 50 and additional payments made in 78 of the districts. In all but one there will be an additional rate of mills on operative property on account of the state Panama Exposition rate, being the difference between .042 and .023.

Incidentally the county auditor's office has figured out the estimated rate that the supervisors will undoubtedly adopt, and the tax rates on the school districts. In the incorporated towns the comparative rates are shown in the following tabulation:

District	1914	1913	Refund
Fresno	1.25	1.20	.05
Coalinga	1.25	1.20	.05
Pineburg	1.25	1.20	.05
Powder	1.25	1.20	.05
Kingsburg	1.25	1.20	.05
Reedley	1.25	1.20	.05
Sanger	1.25	1.20	.05
Selma	1.25	1.20	.05

The larger refunds are in the following districts:

District	1914	1913	Refund
Barstow	1.25	1.20	.05
Bath	1.25	1.20	.05
Gill	1.25	1.20	.05
Highland	1.25	1.20	.05
Locust	1.25	1.20	.05
North Fork	1.25	1.20	.05
Parlier	1.25	1.20	.05
Piedra	1.25	1.20	.05
Pleasant Vale	1.25	1.20	.05
Pomona	1.25	1.20	.05
Raisin City	1.25	1.20	.05
Riverbank	1.25	1.20	.05
Riverdale	1.25	1.20	.05
Stanley	1.25	1.20	.05
Tuolumne	1.25	1.20	.05
Vinland	1.25	1.20	.05
Wash. Colony	1.25	1.20	.05

The larger additional rates on the \$100 property valuations will be collected in the following districts:

District	1914	1913	Refund
Alhambra	1.25	1.20	.05
Blakesburg	1.25	1.20	.05
Howles	1.25	1.20	.05
Caruthers	1.25	1.20	.05
Clark's Valley	1.25	1.20	.05
Dakota	1.25	1.20	.05
Dream Valley	1.25	1.20	.05
Easterby	1.25	1.20	.05
Echolt	1.25	1.20	.05
Friend	1.25	1.20	.05
Garfield	1.25	1.20	.05
Harrison	1.25	1.20	.05
Jefferson	1.25	1.20	.05
Long Star	1.25	1.20	.05
Mango	1.25	1.20	.05
Nees Colony	1.25	1.20	.05
Palma	1.25	1.20	.05
Pollasky	1.25	1.20	.05
Princeton	1.25	1.20	.05
Red Banks	1.25	1.20	.05
Terry	1.25	1.20	.05
Voltaire	1.25	1.20	.05

The prospective tax rates in the high school districts will be as follows: Coalinga 70c, Coalinga 75c, Caruthers 40c, Dos Palos 10c, Fresno 15c, Fresno City 20c, Kingsburg 50c, Lemoore 40c, Reedley 40c, Riverdale 20c, Sanger 50c, Selma 50c, and Washington 55c.

RANCHER DIES WHILE VISITING HIS SISTER

David A. Wright, Farmington, Ill., Expires Very Suddenly

While visiting with his sister, Mrs. Geo. Steck, David A. Wright, a rancher of Farmington, Ill., was taken ill and died yesterday morning. Wright was ill only a few days and did not realize that his condition was serious. The body will be shipped to Farmington for burial. Wright's wife and daughter at the family home were notified last night by telegram of the sudden death of the rancher.

Wright left his home in Illinois August 25 for a trip to California. He visited with his mother in Tulare and was taken ill while there. Last Sunday he came to Fresno to visit with his sister. He gradually grew worse and died yesterday.

Wright was 51 years of age and a native of Illinois. Besides his wife and daughter he is survived by his mother in Tulare, four brothers and two sisters. Mrs. Steck, a sister, lives in Fresno, and the other sister resides in Tulare. Stephens, a friend, took charge of the body and will send the remains to Illinois.

COMMERCIAL CLUB BALL TEAM MEETS

A call has been issued by Captain Dan L. Zimmerman of the Commercial Club baseball team for all candidates for the team to appear at Recreation Park at 9 o'clock Sunday morning for their initial practice. A game has been scheduled with the Elks team, but the date has not as yet been set. Last spring the club had a good team in the field and they expect to repeat their successes this fall.

NOTICE TO WATER USERS

Please take notice that the Annual Water Assessments are now due and payable at the office of the company, tenth floor of the Griffith-McKenzie building.

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REQUIRES LEGATEES TO PAY OBLIGATIONS

William Doering Makes Conditional Bequests to His Legal Heirs

William Doering, Sr.'s last will under date of March 21, 1914, was filed for probate yesterday disposing of an estate valued at \$2200. His daughter, Bertha Krueger of Oleaner is required to pay all expenses of his last illness and of the funeral in consideration of which he gives her full release on notes for \$100 for which she and her husband are liable. Out of the proceeds of a \$2000 mortgage and note given by a son, Albert, of Athens, Wis., he is required to pay the court expenses of probating, after which \$500 bequests will be paid to the son, Gust, also of Athens, and Frank of Austin, Minn., the balance to be retained by Albert.

As a third son, William, of Oleaner, is bequeathed 100 shares in the Athens Farmers' Store Company, and to Albert the one share in the Athens Telephone Company. The testator says that in making this will he has in mind the existence of Herman Vetter of Kuttner Colony, the adopted son of a deceased daughter, named Anna, but he has not mentioned him because he does not desire of leaving him any portion of the estate.

The testator was a farmer of Oleaner. He died on August 13, 1914.

To Put On Flesh and Increase Weight

A Physician's Advice
Most thin people eat from four to six pounds of good solid fat-making food every day and still do not increase in weight one ounce, while on the other hand many of the plump, chunky fellows eat very lightly and keep gaining all the time. It's all a matter of what they eat. It's the nature of the individual. It isn't always a matter of will.

Thin folks say this because their powers of assimilation are defective. They absorb just enough of the food they eat to maintain life and a semblance of health and strength. Stuffing won't help them. A dozen meals a day won't make them gain a single "unit" of weight. All the fat-producing elements of their food just stay in the intestines until they pass from the body. The food—something, too, that will multiply their red blood corpuscles and increase their blood's carrying power.

For such a condition I always recommend eating a Sargol tablet with every meal. Sargol is not, as some believe, a patented drug, but is a scientific combination of some of the most effective and powerful flesh building elements known to chemistry. It is absolutely harmless, yet wonderfully effective and a Sargol tablet eaten with each meal will have the effect of increasing the weight of a thin man or woman from three to five pounds a week. Sargol is sold by San Joaquin Drug Company, Webster Bros. Inc., Patterson Block Pharmacy and other good druggists everywhere on a positive guarantee of weight increase or money back.

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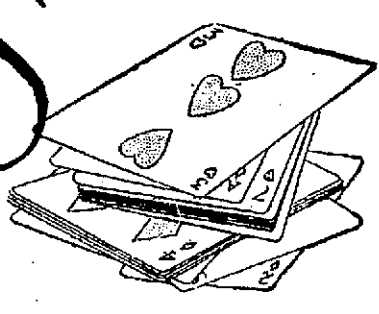
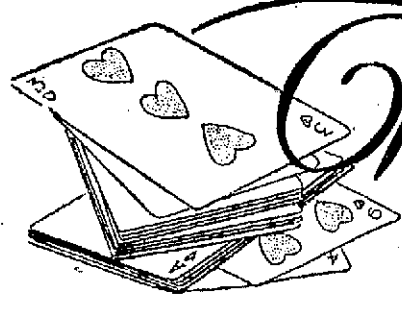
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BY LOUIS JOSEPH VANCE



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SYNOPSIS.—The "death-sig" used by Anne Trine in a private war of vengeance which, through his daughter Judith, a woman of violent and criminal temper and questionable sanity, in wages against Alan Law, whose father (now dead) Trine held responsible for the accident which made him a helpless cripple. Rose, Judith's twin and double, learning of her sister's campaign against Alan, leaves her home to aid the man she loves. Under dramatic circumstances Alan saves Judith's life and so wins her love; but failure to shake his constancy to Rose irritates Judith in her homicidal purpose; she contrives to burn a schooner, in which Alan is making a coastwise cruise to New York, marooning him together with Marcus, owner of the schooner, on an island south of Cape Cod.

DEAD RECKONING.

On Nauset Beach, in the shank of a midsummer night, two men sprawled on the sands, some distance back from the water, and listened to the heavy thumping of their overtaxed hearts, and panted.

Now and again one would lift his head and stare out over the black face of the waters at a little line of reddish flames about a mile off shore, all that remained to witness to the fact that, an hour since, these two had been in command of as trim a small schooner as ever ventured the coastwise trip from Portland to New York.

As far out again, shone the starboard light of a becalmed schooner whose people had been directly responsible for the disaster which had overtaken the smaller vessel.

In the course of time, beginning to breathe with more ease, one of the two marooned gentlemen said: "Tell me, Marcus, what's the nearest symptom of civilization?"

"Chatham village," said Mr. Marcus, "six miles to the northwards, and cut off by an inlet a mile or so wide at that."

Mr. Law groaned soulfully.

"Then there's the lighthouse on Monomoy Point," Mr. Marcus pursued, "three miles to the south."

A silence commented eloquently on this assertion, broken only when Mr. Law voiced a thought bred of long and malignant observation of the schooner's green eye:

"I'd give a deal to know who's aboard that vessel."

"You don't mean you think your regular young woman—?"

"It's possible," Judith kidnaped Rose in Portland. That's not so far from Gloucester; a motor-car could have caught that schooner before she sailed to waylay us, this morning. And what better way to take care of an able-bodied, full-tempered girl you've kidnaped, than to ship her somewhere by sea, in the care of trustworthy bellhops?"

"Don't ask me: I've done very little kidnaping for one of my years."

"For tuppence," said Mr. Law, "I'd risk a swim off to that boat and see for myself."

"For two million dollars—I would not!" Marcus affirmed with great decision.

A moment or so later the line of little flames went out altogether and unexpectedly; and the owner of the late Seaventure fancied he could hear, even at that distance, the hiss of charred and smoldering timbers sucked under and drowned out.

"Exit," he announced plaintively. "Exit Seaventure, with heroic gesture. R. I. P. a good little ship!"

"Oh, let up, can't you!" Mr. Law exclaimed peevishly. "I'm sorrier than you are—and after all, it's my loss: I've got to buy you another boat. All you've lost is your temper."

"And my susceptibility to the charms of the well-known sex," Mr. Marcus corrected. "Nothing can ever restore my lost faith in gentle woman's gentleness. When you brought that young woman aboard I thought better wouldn't melt in her mouth, and for a while I actually contemplated doing her the kindness of tipping you over into the drink, so she could lavish her tender affections on a regular guy, someone able to appreciate her—meaning me, of course. And first thing I know, she ups and points a gun at my head and tips me overboard, and then makes a pretty bonfire out of my sailboat. And all the excuse you can produce is that she's crazy in the head! Well, who said she wasn't? Any woman who would consent to elope with you is a fit subject for a commission de lunatico inquirendo, all right."

For a moment the two maintained attentive silence.

A silken whisper troubled the silence, a little flutter of sound from far across the waters. Gradually it gathered volume, became recognizable as the hiss of cautious oars.

"I'm going away from here," Mr. Marcus announced guardedly, and gathered his legs under him preparatory to rising.

"Half a second," Alan Law insisted, rising in turn and grasping the other by his arm. "They've got to land—haven't they?—and leave the boat while they look for us. Well, then, what's to prevent our hiding in the dunes and—?"

"In the next breath," "Look out!" he shrieked.

With no warning whatever, and within fifty feet of them, a ghastly flare broke out in full blaze on the surface of the water, revealing the shape of a dory which had drawn in unseen under cover of the profound darkness, and at the same time discovering to its occupants the two startled figures on the beach.

Before they could stir the weird light glimmered on a polished weapon in the bow of the boat, a spiteful tongue of reddish flame spat out, a bullet sang between Marcus, Law and Barcus, and with a sad thud of disappointment buried itself in the sands of wave-eaten bluff behind them.

Like twin automatons stirred to action by the report, the two turned and pelted off down the beach, to escape that deadly area of illumination. Other shots sped after them, but none was so well aimed; and presently, finding a break in the bluff, they swung off into the grateful shelter of the night-wrapped dunes.

Meantime the dory had grounded on the beach, and its several occupants—four or five of them, all men, apparently—jumping out, set off in pursuit of the fugitives, following the tracks in the sand. The blackness of the night, however, conspired with the savage labyrinth of the dunes to save Alan and his company.

Within another five minutes—while still the pur-

suit floundered and blasphemed at random a round quarter-mile to the south—Mr. Law and Mr. Barcus were noiselessly squirming on their bellies, like two great snakes in the beach-grass, up the back of a ten-foot bluff. And presently from its brow they looked down on the spot where the dory lay, only its bow out of water, its stern afloat, under armed guard.

Very slowly and stealthily Alan got to his feet and swung back over his shoulder a heavy club of driftwood.

A match spluttered beside the dory, and flamed in the still air, relieving with its reddish glow a bronzed and evil visage.

The guard puffed fast and had the tobacco well aglow when the sky took advantage of his trustfulness and fell upon him like an avalanche.

Simultaneously, Alan and Barcus descended the face of the bluff in two miniature landslides, dug themselves out and by the time the dory and disarmed guard had sufficiently recovered to cry out for help, the dory was a hundred yards off the beach and making excellent time in the direction of that lonely green light.

The commonest precaution, however, made them pause and rest upon their oars while yet a little way from their goal.

Only an ominous silence rewarded the utmost efforts of their straining senses: no sound was audible other than the gentle whine of an un-

you in all your young life—"a far's I can make out. As for me—I know there are at least two life-saving stations on Nauset, both with modern equipment—motor lifeboats and all; and nothing will ever persuade me that pack of wolves would stick at breaking in and confiscating one of the same. It's as likely as not—only more so. Our present business is to get the hell out of here—and not advertise our exit, either. Take that port light in and douse it, while I do the same by the starboard. Then duck below, warn your Dutchess, and put out the cabin lamp. That way—if this blackness and our built-luck only holds—we may manage an evasion."

There followed an exceedingly busy quarter of an hour for two constrained in pitch darkness to grope their way about the decks and familiarize themselves with the idiosyncrasies of a strange two-master. Nevertheless, the end of that period found the schooner with canvas full and sheets taut, a good easterly breeze abeam, swiftly weaving a wake southwards—the light on Monomoy Point watching her curiously from over the starboard beam.

"Hear anything more of that power boat?" Alan asked, joining Barcus by the wheel.

"Nothing—wind, too fresh. Make yourself easy on the soft side of a plank here. I'll land you a kick in the slats when so minded—or when it's your trick at the wheel."

care of his own we may possibly escape being run down."

With a sigh, relinquishing the wheel, he collapsed upon the deck, and was almost instantly asleep.

The wind had fallen until barely enough air stirred to keep way on the vessel; she moved in silence, a spectral ship upon a spectral sea of long, oily swells and the complexion of lead. Hither and yon in the obscurity, fog-signals of other shipping sounded a concert of discordance—the man-power horn of a cat-boat crying the warning back to the deep-throated whistle of a coastwise steamship and the impertinent drumming of a motor-boat's exhaust with the muffer cut out.

This last boxed the compass, sounding now near, now far; though the complaints of other shipping diminished in volume and died away in the distance, giving place to others still, the platter-platter of that motor was never altogether lost; if, at times it faded, it seemed certain always to return in even louder volume.

Vainly straining his vision against the blank pallor of the encompassing fog, Alan wondered, worried, dreaded!

At irregular intervals, starting from preoccupation, he would manipulate the brass pull on the wheel-box, provoking the horn's stuttering blasts of protest. But the need for unremitting vigilance and exercise of the fog-signal, failed none the less

voice cried out with an accent of high exultation. Before either Alan or the girl could disengage, the decks rang loud with a rush of booted feet pounding aft.

The figures of the boarding party were already taking shape through the fog as Alan sprang toward the companionway to fetch the rifle. And in this action, his feet slipped on planks greasy with moisture deposited by the surcharged atmosphere. He went down with a stupefying thump, and an instant later two men fell bodily upon him—active, strong fellows in the dress of fishermen. He was suffered to rise only as a prisoner, helpless in the grasp of two pair of powerful hands.

He saw Barcus, rudely roused and still dumb with sleepy confusion, in no better case—jerked to his feet and held captive by two more fishermen. A fifth had taken charge of Rose, clamping her wrists in the vise of one big hand.

The sixth and sole other member of the boarding party, likewise in the rough-and-ready garb of a fisherman, was Judith Trine.

Down the side a heavy life-boat ground its way astern, the loose end of its painter slipping over the rail even as Alan caught sight of it. (So it seemed Barcus had guessed shrewdly!)

Observing this, one of the men in charge of Alan made as if to leave him to the other, addressing Judith for permission to prevent the loss of the life-boat. She stopped him with a peremptory gesture.

"No—let it go. We're better off without it. Hold that man fast till I fetch a rope. We'll make sure of them both, this time!"

Straining forward in the grasp of her guard Rose implored her sister: "Judith, in pity's name, think what you are doing!"

"Hold your tongue!" Judith snapped viciously. "Another whimper out of you, and I'll have you gagged!"

The balance of her threat, though accompanied by the exhibition of an automatic pistol, was drowned out by the sudden roar of a steamship fog-signal, so close aboard that it seemed almost to emanate from the forepart of the schooner herself.

As it was answered by shrill and hoarse cries, of terror and of warning, from a dozen throats, Alan found himself released, his captors leaping for their lives to the taffrail.

He caught an instantaneous glimpse of the knife-like bow of a great steamer towering above the two-master—sweeping toward it at a speed which raised a smart jet of white under the cutterwater.

Someone aboard the schooner, with the voice of a siren, belloyed a terrified appeal:

"Stop your engines! Shut off your propeller! Stop your—"

Then, like the wrath of God, the steamship overwhelmed the lesser ship; its bow seemed to slice through the schooner as a knife through cheese. And the two halves were fairly driven under water by the frightful force of the blow.

Thunders deafening him, Alan was hurled bodily through the air fully twenty feet.

When he came up he struck out at random, blindly tormented by the vision of Rose caught in the suck of that gigantic wheel, drawn under, crushed and mangled by the propeller of the vast black hulk whose flank was sliding past, like the face of a cliff, ten yards behind his shoulders.

Aware of several dark objects dotting the surface within a radius of several yards, he swam for the nearest: the head was a woman's, the face turned toward him the face of Rose.

He gasped wildly: "Keep cool! Don't struggle! Put one hand on my shoulder and—"

What happened then was never quite clear to him: he only knew that he was forced to fight for his very life—that the woman, as soon as he came within reach, flung herself upon him like some maddened animal, clutching his throat, winding her limbs round his, dragging him down and down.

Primitive instinct alone saved him. He remembered later, most vaguely, the culmination of that duel beneath the waters—remembered freeing an arm, drawing it back, delivering a blow from his shoulder, with all his strength, finding himself free, struggling back to the air.

Then a backstroke caught the back of his shirt and dragged him for some distance, until two strong hands caught him beneath the armpits and held his head above the water.

He looked up witlessly into the face of Barcus, and still bewildered, struggled feebly.

The other's voice brought him back to his senses: "Easy, old top! Take it easy! You're all right now—rest a minute, then help me get you aboard."

He obeyed, controlling his panic as best he might; and presently, with considerable assistance from Barcus, contrived to scramble in over the gunwales of a boat which proved to be the stolen life-boat.

Aside from Barcus and himself it held one other person only—the woman he loved, crumpled up and unconscious in the bow.

He strove to rise and go to her, to make sure that still she lived. Barcus restrained and quieted him.

"There! Easy, I say! She's all right—fainted—that's all! She and I took the water in practically the same spot, and luck threw this blessed boat my way within half a dozen strokes. No trouble at all—in a manner of speaking!"

"But the steamer—"

"Why fret about her? At the pace she was making she couldn't have stopped within half a mile. We'll be all right now—with power to fetch us to land."

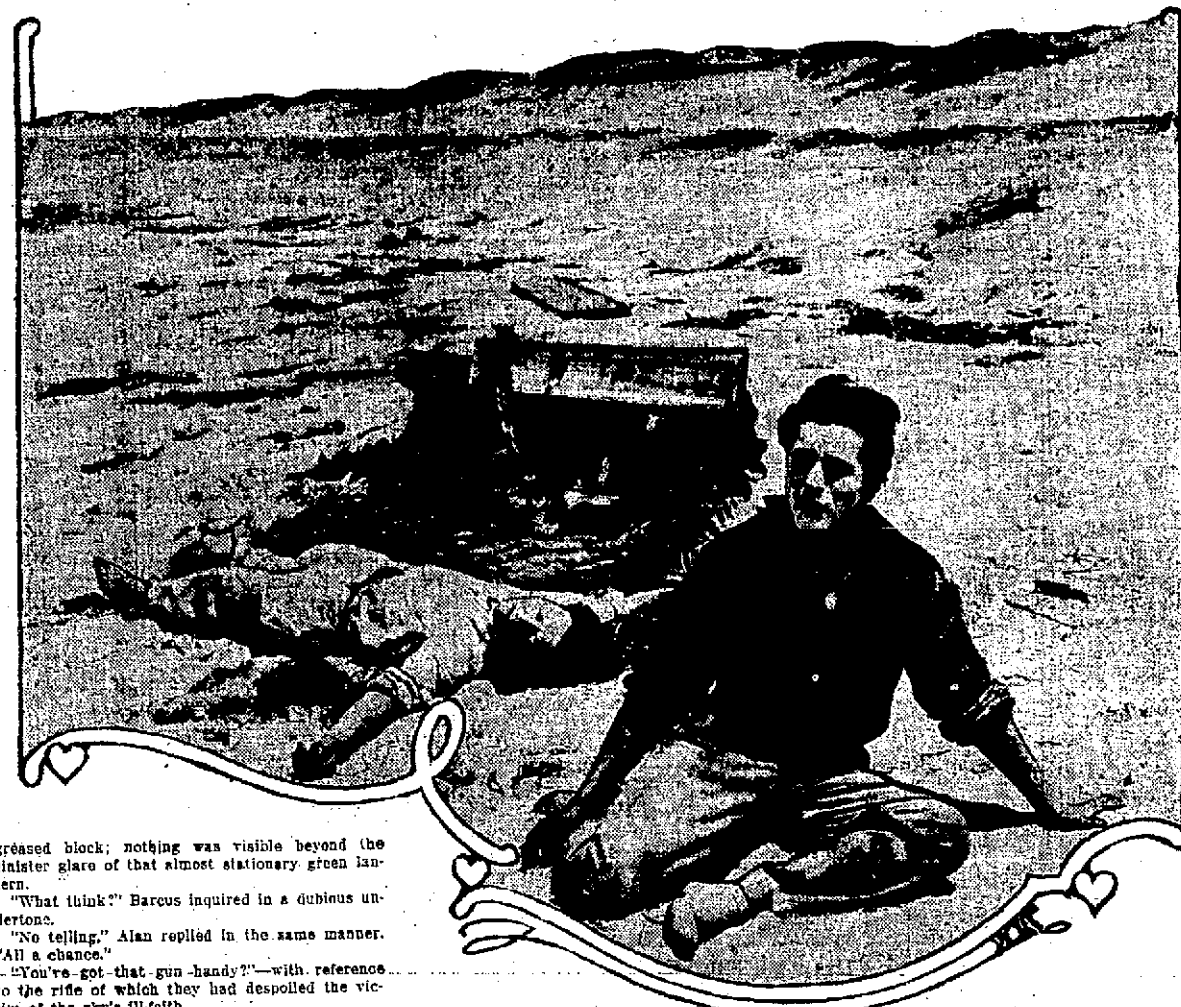
"But the others—Judith!" Alan sat up and leaned over the gunwale, searching an oily, leaden expanse spotted only with a few splinters and bits of wreckage. "I left her out there—unconscious—she'll drown, I tell you!"

"And I'll tell you something!" said Mr. Barcus severely. "You'll lie quiet and shut up or I'll dent your dome with the shaft of an oar. Let her drown—and a good job, I say! Don't you know the meaning of 'enough'? Merciful heavens, man, you're the most insatiable glutton for punishment ever!"

But Alan wasn't listening. His face was as lightless as the waters that swam beneath his lack-luster gaze. There was a horror in his heart that numbed even the sense of relief, of deliverance, that penetrated his being like a shock of mortal pain.

Dead! Judith dead! Back there, in the fog and the cold . . . dead by his hand!

(To be continued.)



Two Men Lay Sprawled on the Sand.

With a chuckle, Alan obediently stretched himself out on the deck.

"I say—Law!"

"Well!"

"You seem pretty easy in your mind about this young woman below. To me, she's the same that tried to send me to Davy Jones' locker. How does she explain her presence aboard?"

"Much as I surmised," Alan replied. "I fancy they chloroformed her while she slept in that hotel in Portland. Whether or no, Rose woke up in a closed motor-car—bound and gagged, of course—and was brought aboard at Gloucester about midnight."

"Simple when you know how," Barcus commented. "Of course, I always did say that truth was a stranger to fiction. Cuddle down, now, and I'll talk you insensible."

His accents already merging in with the swish of the "longside waves, the bubbling of the wake, and the many-toned composite voice of the ship in being, unconsciousness like a cloud descended upon Alan's overwearied faculties.

He woke momentarily with a yawn and a shiver, in the gray of a tarnished daybreak, to find that fog pressed heavily upon the face of the waters, a mist so thick that from the stern the waist of the vessel was almost invisible, the bows completely so.

Barcus stood over him, at the wheel, fairly reeling with weariness, his eyes blood-shot, swollen, and half-closed in a face like a mask of fatigue.

"Can't keep up much longer," he apologized thickly; "stood it about as long as I can. Take your trick and give me forty winks."

Grateful solitude brought Alan instantly to his side, though he himself was sluggish and stiff and sore in all his limbs.

"You're a brick!" he protested. "Why didn't you call me sooner?"

"No good: I knew the way—you didn't. That is, I did until this accursed fog closed down a couple of hours ago. Now—God knows where we are—by my reckoning somewhere in Nantucket Sound west of Monomoy."

Grasping a small brass handle affixed to the wheel box, he jerked it sharply three times; and the automatic horn blared raucously a threefold response up forward.

"Keep that going," he begged, "three blasts in a row and a minute interval—and if the devil takes

to reconcile Alan to that blatant clamor which so widely and so hideously advertised their whereabouts.

If there were anything still to be feared from Judith and her crew—if, for instance, as Barcus had suggested, they had sought out one of the life-saving stations on Nauset Beach, appropriated its power-driven, life-boat and renewed the pursuit, if ever they heard that horn there would beyond question be the devil to pay!

The loneliness of his vigil was eventually relieved by the appearance on deck of the woman Alan loved.

The tableau that greeted her vision as she emerged from the companionway, of the haggard, unshaven wretch at the wheel and the other who lay at his feet, where he had fallen, in stupor of fatigue, instantly wrung from Rose a little cry of solicitude. And she was quick to do what little she could to alleviate their discomfort. For Barcus she fetched a pillow and blanket from the cabin; and this one suffered her ministrations without once rousing from his slumbers. Then hastening forward, she got the galley fire going and prepared a makeshift breakfast for her half-famished lover.

Warm food and hot coffee—such as they were—lending a little tone to Alan's spirits, he was presently able to discuss their situation with some optimism. Yet nothing could gloss the fact that the problem confronting them was one whose solution baffled their utmost ingenuity—one the simple contemplation of which taxed their courage and intelligence to the extreme.

He summed up: "I can't see anything for it but father and Judith are determined to bare my scalp, and I'm hanged if I can see how to protect myself without taking a leaf out of their books. What I'm most afraid of is that some time I may forget it's a woman I'm defending myself against. When a fellow's fighting for his very life he can't always stop to calculate the weight of his blows."

The young man sighed, shook his head, laughed uncertainly, and held her closer to him: "Don't fear: I'll find some way out without injuring either of them. I promise you that!"

He sealed the pledge upon her lips.

And in that moment of their oblivion to the world, from some point forward a muffled crash sounded simultaneously with the dull shock of a collision with a smaller vessel; and a strange

SEE THE MOVING PICTURES

BIJOU THEATER, FRESNO--Today

Rex Theater Bakerfield
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Issue Athletic Program For District Fair

REPUBLICAN MARATHON OPENING FEATURE FOR SPORTING EVENTS

Program Concludes Friday With State Championship Track and Field Contest; High School and Town Relays Wednesday

A complete athletic program for the Fresno District Fair was issued yesterday by the program committee. The program provides for four days of athletics, commencing on Tuesday with the Fresno Republican Cross City Marathon, and ending Friday with the state championship track and field meet. High school and town relay races are to be held on Wednesday and the all-around championships on Thursday.

The program calls for one of the biggest meets that has ever been held west of Chicago. Special silver trophies will be awarded to the winning teams of the high school and the town relays, with individual medals for the members of the teams.

Following is the program:

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22.

Republican Cross-City Race (5 3/4 Miles).

Entries open to all amateurs over 18 years of age and subject to medical examinations.

Prizes: Ten handsome loving cups will be awarded to the ten winners. Regular prizes will be given to the first four to finish.

Special Prizes: Fifth Prize—Team of four men finishing with highest rank.

Sixth Prize—First Fresno runner to finish after prize winners.

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Tenth Prize—First runner from a fraternal organization entry.

(Entries close with Claude M. Chaplin, Fresno Republican, Tuesday, September 22, 1914.)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23.

High School relay race, one mile, team of four men, each man running quarter of a mile.

Prizes: Cup for winning team. Medals for individual members.

Town relay race, one mile, team of four men, each man running a quarter of a mile.

Prizes: Cup for winning team. Medals for individual members.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1.

All-Around Individual Championship of California.

Open to all registered amateur athletes. (Date of this event changed from Tuesday, September 23, to Thursday, October 1.)

Entries close Friday, September 18.

Order of Events Scored by Percentage.

100-yard run.

Putting 16-lb. shot.

Running high jump.

330-yard walk.

Throwing 16-lb. hammer.

Pole vault for height.

150-yard hurdles (10 flights 3 feet, 6 inches high).

Throwing 56-lb. weight for distance.

Running broad jump.

One-mile run.

Prizes: First Prize—Diamond gold medal.

Second Prize—Gold medal.

Third Prize—Silver medal.

Fourth Prize—Bronze medal.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2.

Starting at 1 p. m.

State championship track and field meet, open to all registered amateur athletes.

(Rules of A. A. U. to govern).

General Rule VI.—Championship Events.—Outdoor Field Meeting.—

Order of Events.

100 yards run. Trials.

800 yards run. Final.

100 yards run. Final.

120 yards hurdle. Trials.

120 yards hurdle. Semi-final.

One mile run.

440 yards run.

120 yards hurdle. Final.

220 yards run. Trials.

220 yards hurdle. Trials.

220 yards hurdle. Semi-finals.

Five mile run.

Prizes: A gold medal, emblematic of the Championship of California, will be given to the winner in each event; a silver medal to second, and a bronze medal to third.

Points to count as follows: 5 for 1st, 3 for 2nd, 2 for 3rd, and 1 for 4th.

An entrance fee of \$1 per man will be charged. No entry will be accepted unless accompanied by the fee. Fee to be returned upon participation.

Entries close with Herbert Hauser, 1670 San Sebastian avenue, Oakland, on Friday, September 18, 1914.

BASEBALL RESULTS

American League

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	58	45	.567
Boston	57	44	.563
Detroit	52	49	.513
Washington	48	53	.479
Chicago	47	54	.465
St. Louis	46	55	.451
New York	45	56	.447
Cleveland	44	57	.432

RESULTS YESTERDAY

St. Louis 2, Chicago 1 (first game); St. Louis 3, Chicago 1 (second game). Detroit 5, Cleveland 2. No other games.

TWO FOR ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 16.—St. Louis won two games from Chicago today, the first, 2 to 1, in ten innings, and the second, 3 to 1. An error by Roth with Leary on second base and two men out in the final inning of the first game won for St. Louis. In the second game after Wolfgang had filled the bases on two passes and an error, Russell replaced him and was hit for two singles, which gave the locals their second. Chicago threatened in the ninth and after two outs filled the bases, but only one run counted. Score:

(First Game). R. H. E.

Chicago .. 000 100 000—1 6 1

St. Louis .. 001 000 000—2 5 1

Batteries—Scott and Schalk; Hamilton and Agnew.

(Second Game). R. H. E.

Chicago .. 000 000 001—1 7 2

St. Louis .. 001 000 000—3 8 0

Batteries—Russell and Kuhn; Levern and Agnew.

DETROIT 5, CLEVELAND 2.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 16.—Detroit made it three straight today. Gilman outpitching Carter. Oldham and his battery mate also excelled in batting. Oldham making two doubles and a single. Cobb's daring base running was a feature. Score:

R. H. E.

Detroit .. 010 010 510—5 13 2

Cleveland .. 000 001 011—2 5 3

Batteries—Oldham and McKee; Carter, Hagerman, Coubie and Bassler.

Pacific Coast League

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Portland	52	55	.507
San Francisco	51	56	.494
Los Angeles	51	56	.494
Seattle	49	58	.473
Visalia	48	59	.462
Oakland	46	62	.432

RESULTS YESTERDAY

San Francisco 6, Missions 0. Los Angeles 8, Oakland 1. Other game postponed.

American Association

Cleveland, 3; Louisville, 5.

Western League

Des Moines, 1; Denver, 5. St. Joseph, 1; Lincoln, 2. Topeka, 1; Omaha, 5. Sioux City, 4; Wichita, 5.

WOLVERTON TAKES LONG

LEASE ON BALL PARK

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Harry Wolverton, manager of the Missions, formerly the Sacramento team in the Pacific Coast Baseball league, announced last night that he had taken a twenty-year lease on Recreation park, formerly home grounds of the San Francisco team. A special meeting of the league directors has been called for next Saturday night in this city to discuss the advisability of establishing the Missions permanently at Recreation park.

Sacramento proved such an unprofitable baseball town this season, that the team was transferred to the bay region a short while ago, turned the Missions, and assigned to Oakland as a temporary home town. It was said at the time that this was in the nature of an experiment, to see whether the bay cities would support three teams.

FRESNO REPUBLICAN CROSS CITY RACE

(Five and Three-quarter miles)

Under Sanction of Pacific Association of the Amateur Athletic Union

OPENING FRESNO DISTRICT FAIR SEPT. 29

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Finish at Fair Grounds

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Please enter me in the REPUBLICAN CROSS CITY RACE

Name

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Club, College or Unattached

(Write name of body represented here)

Registration No.

Age

1. Open to all registered amateurs over 18 years of age, subject to medical examination prior to the race.

2. The right to reject or strike out any entry is reserved.

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4. Amateurs not registered with the P. A. A. may obtain registration blanks from C. H. Toose, Fresno Y. M. C. A., Fresno, Cal.

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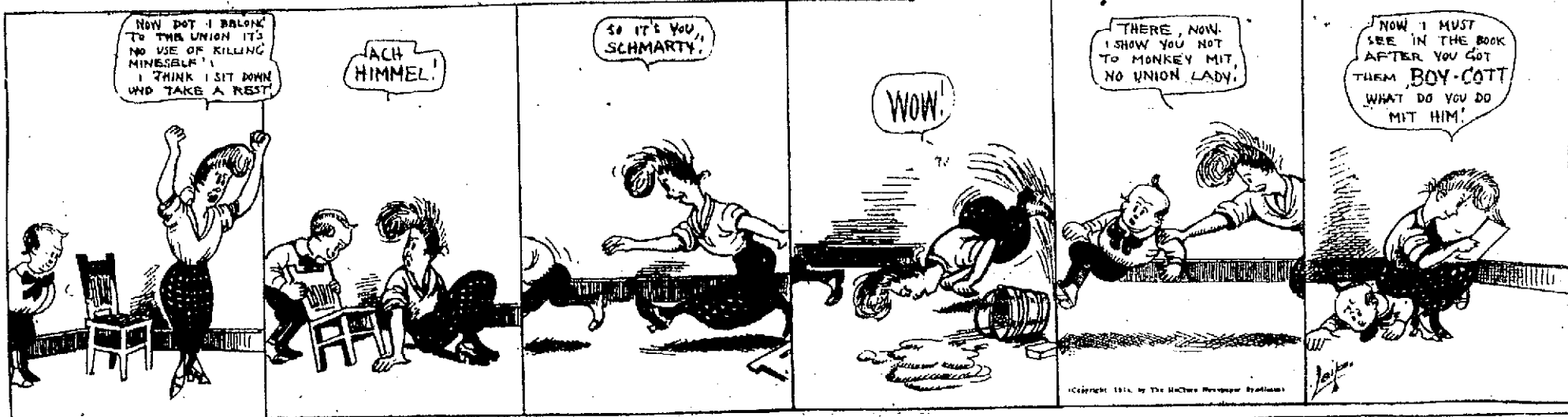
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DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS---Angelins Is Getting Along Rapidly on Unionism

By F. Leipziger

COATES - BRAMBLETT
ELIMINATED BY
SIMPSON-BARRFavorites in Doubles Go
Down to Defeat in
Fast Play

A distinct surprise was sprung in the All-Corner tennis tournament yesterday when Coates and Bramblett were eliminated from the doubles by Simpson and Barr. Coates and Bramblett has been rated as one of the strong teams of the tournament with every probability of them reaching the semi-finals. The score was 7-5, 6-7.

The singles matches opened yesterday with the elimination of Anderson, Lindsay, Harlow and Cox.

Doubles—Dickey courts, a. m. Frank Warner and Alie Becker vs. W. J. Cochrane and Ernest Cochrane, 6-1, 6-1; won by Warner and Becker. Russell Simpson and Edward Barr vs. John Coates and Newton Bramblett, 7-5, 6-7; won by Simpson and Barr. Singles—Maupin court, a. m. Ben Levy vs. E. W. Lindsay, 6-2.

KORES REFUSES CONTRACT
WITH NEW-YORK GIANTS

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 16.—Arthur Kores, Portland Coast league third-baseman, today refused to sign a contract with the New York Nationals on the ground that the salary offered was too low.

4-6: won by Levy. Dickey courts, p. m. Newton Bramblett versus C. W. Harlow, 6-2, 6-7; won by Bramblett. 5-7: Anderson versus G. W. Darr, 6-2, 6-7; won by Darr. Maupin court, a. m. W. R. Henderson versus D. L. Cox, 6-0, 6-1; won by Henderson. Following is the play today: Dickey court, Thursday, p. m. Sig Levy versus L. A. Cobb (singles). G. W. Darr and C. W. Harlow versus D. L. Cox and P. M. Harwood (doubles). No game scheduled at Maupin court. Dickey courts, Friday, a. m. Mark Hall and Edw. Wright versus A. O. Warner and Archie Jack (doubles). C. H. Scott versus Ben Riege (singles). Maupin's court—R. C. Avery and E. W. Lindsay versus Ben Levy and E. G. Hugheson (doubles). Friday P. M. Dickey court. H. M. King versus E. V. Bradley. Alie Becker versus John Coates. Maupin Court. Clyde Smith versus R. H. Ellithorpe.

FANNING MAKES
SEVEN STRAIGHT

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—Skeeter Fanning of the San Francisco ball club regional his seventh consecutive victory here today, shutting out the Missions 6 to 0 and allowing but four hyphenated hits. The Seals played errorless ball and found the problem offered by Arellanes, who started for Mission, easy of solution. Fanning's long liner into deep center in the seventh period was the first clean "inside the grounds" home run negotiated on Kewling Field. Score:

	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Cook, 2b-ss	4	0	1	4	1	1	1
Young, 2b	4	0	0	4	5	1	0
Shinn, rf	4	0	0	8	1	0	0
Tennant, 1b	4	0	0	8	1	0	0
Van Buren, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0	0
Hallinan, 3b	3	0	1	1	0	0	0
Moran, c	3	0	0	2	0	0	0
Rohrer, c	2	0	0	1	1	1	0
Arellanes, p	2	0	1	0	4	0	0
Lynn, c	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Gav, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Williams, p	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	29	0	4	24	15	4	1

	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Mundorff, rf	4	2	3	0	0	0	0
O'Leary, 3b	5	1	2	0	0	0	0
Schaller, lf	4	1	3	0	0	0	0
Downs, 2b	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
Tobin, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0	0
Charles, 1b	4	0	0	12	1	0	0
Corhan, ss	3	0	0	7	2	0	0
Schmidt, p	3	0	0	1	2	0	0
Fanning, p	4	0	1	1	2	0	0
Colligan, 2b	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	33	6	11	27	11	0	0

	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Missions	29	0	4	24	15	4	1
Base hits	100	000	000	0	0	0	0
San Francisco	33	6	11	27	11	0	0
Base hits	129	000	110	0	0	0	0
Summary	290	262	217	111	0	0	0

Six runs, 10 hits, 29 at bat off Arellanes in seven innings. Charge defeat to Arellanes. Stolen base—Mundorff. Home run—Mundorff. Two-base hits—Cook, Corhan. Sacrifice hits—Young, Schmidt. Base on balls—Arellanes, 3; Fanning, 1; Williams, 1. Struck out—Fanning, 4; Williams, 1. Balk—Arellanes. Double plays—Tennant to Young; Young to Cook; Arellanes to Cook to Tennant. Left on bases—Missions, 4; San Francisco, 1. Runs responsible for—Arellanes, 4. Time, 1:42. Umpires—Guthrie and Hayes.

ANGELS WIN FROM
OAKLAND AGAIN

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 16.—Los Angeles won again today from Oakland, 9 to 1. With the game won in the third inning, 2 to 1, Love held the enemy in check, while his team-mates prepared for a seventh inning parade around the bases, with two out, in which they scored seven runs on five hits and three errors. Wolters distinguished himself with a double and two singles in three times up. Score:

	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Daniels, cf	4	0	1	0	1	0	1
Guest, ss	4	0	0	3	4	0	0
Middleton, lf	4	0	2	0	1	0	0
Gardner, 1b	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Quinlan, rf	3	1	0	1	0	0	0
Hettinger, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Dowling, 2b	4	0	1	5	4	1	0
Alexander, c	2	0	0	3	0	0	0
Ables, p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mittie	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grimes, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sennett, p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	1	7	24	16	3	1

	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Wolters, 2b	3	1	1	1	0	0	0
Metzger, 3b	5	1	1	1	0	0	0
Maggard, cf	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ables, 1b	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Ellis, lf	3	1	2	0	0	0	0
Moore, ss	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Paga, 2b	3	1	1	2	0	0	0
Boles, c	4	2	2	2	0	0	0
Love, p	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	9	13	27	16	1	0

	AB.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Oakland	31	1	7	24	16	3	1
Base hits	121	000	000	0	0	0	0
Los Angeles	33	9	13	27	16	1	0
Base hits	129	012	010	0	0	0	0

Two base hits—Dowling, Metzger. Sacrifice hit—Quinlan. Struck out—By Love & Ables 3. Grimes 1, Sennett 1. Bases on balls—Love 2, Ables 2. Grimes 3. Runs responsible for—Love 1, Ables 2, Grimes 3. Seven hits, 2 runs, 21 at bat, off Ables in six innings; 4 hits, 7 runs, 6 at bat, off Grimes in 2-3 innings. Charge defeat to Ables. Double plays—Alexander to Dowling 2; Wolters to Ables to Love. Wild pitches—Love, Sennett. Stolen bases—Middleton, Metzger, Ables, Ellis. Time—1:56. Umpires—Finney and Held.

JAMES E. SULLIVAN
OF A. A. U. IS
DEADPasses Away After Oper-
ation on Monday for
Intestinal Trouble

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—James E. Sullivan, secretary and treasurer of the Amateur Athletic Union and the American Olympic commissioner in the recent Olympic games, died here today.

Mr. Sullivan was operated on at a local hospital on Monday for intestinal trouble and never rallied. He returned from the A. A. U. track and field championship games in Baltimore on Sunday and was stricken late that night with the illness which resulted in his death.

As a mark of respect to Mr. Sullivan, the senior championship games of the Metropolitan Association of the A. A. U., of which he was president, have been postponed from September 19, to October 3.

James E. Sullivan was noted throughout the world as an authority on amateur track and field athletics. In his youth he was a famous athlete, having won American championships in all round—running, jumping and boxing exhibitions.

He was national and sectional president, and in late years held the position of secretary-treasurer of the A. A. U., as well as being chairman of the American Olympic committee. He spent several weeks abroad this summer as the chief representative of American athletic bodies at the international conference at Paris and Lyons.

His greatest athletic fame came in connection with the Olympic games held in Europe beginning in 1906. He was appointed special American Olympic commissioner at the Athens, London and Stockholm meets by Presidents Roosevelt and Taft.

The officers were elected from each of the classes in order to insure the interest of the entire student body. An executive committee of four will assist the president in planning the activities of the association.

JOHNNY KILBANE TO
MEET ABE ATTELL

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 16.—Johnny Kilbane and Abe Attehl will battle twenty rounds at Vernon, October 16, for the featherweight championship of the world, according to an announcement made today. Attehl lost the title to Kilbane in 1912. They will weigh 122 pounds ringside. The contest will be held at night.

PRINCETON PLAYERS
VICTORS IN TENNIS

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 16.—Princeton tennis players won three of the matches in the second round of the singles championship of the Inter-Collegiate Lawn Tennis association today at Haverford, leaving only Princeton players to oppose R. Norris Williams, II, of Harvard, the present champion, in the succeeding rounds.

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GILMORE ASKS FOR
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CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—A chance for the Federal league to participate in the world's series was asked today in a letter from James A. Gilmore, president of the Federal league to members of the National Baseball commission.

In his plea for a truce in the interests of the supporters of the game, Mr. Gilmore declared that the National agreement did not prohibit the clubs in organized baseball playing an outside club, outlined the claims of the Federal to be regarded as a major league and contended that no club could rightfully claim the world's championship until it had met the pennant winners of the Federal league.

DROP TWO TEAMS FROM
RAISIN CITY LEAGUE

Two teams were dropped and a new one taken in by the Raisin City league last night at a meeting in the offices of the Playground Commission. The Brunavicks and Hollands were voted out owing to the postponing of games, while the Health's Business College was admitted. Another team will come into the league shortly.

The schedule for next Sunday follows: McFees versus Healds, Brunavicks versus Post Office. The Bankers will not play Sunday. Both games will be played at Holmes Park.

MODESTO GIRLS FORM
ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

MODESTO, Sept. 16.—The girls of the Modesto high school have formed an athletic association, which thus is entered every girl in high school to some form of athletics. Basketball, tennis and track teams will be formed in each class and a series of tournaments will be arranged. The officers are: President, Lucile Lyanna, senior; Dorothy Rice, sophomore, vice-president; Florence Becking, freshman; secretary; Alice Hinkley, junior, treasurer; Lois Keith, senior, business manager.

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SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

Sanford Marvin, a wealthy manufacturer of automobiles, has worn himself out by overwork. His son Harry, and his adopted daughter, Pauline, love each other, but she wants two years of thrilling experiences seeing life before marrying. Her reason is that she is ambitious to be a writer. Old Mr. Marvin asks to see what she has written. While Pauline and Harry are in search of a magazine containing her story, Mr. Marvin opens the case of a mummy which has just arrived from Egypt. Raymond Owen, his recently private secretary, help lift off the front of the case, but leaves the old man to remove the mummy's bandages alone. Mr. Marvin, during a fainting spell sees the half-exposed mummy come to life, step out of her case, take a bracelet from her wrist and try to force it into his nerveless grasp while her lips whisper a strange message from the remote past.

Restored to consciousness by Harry and Pauline, the old man believes it to be a dream until later he finds the identical bracelet on the mummy's skeleton wrist. He promises Pauline one year to see life, and places her in the guardianship of Owen. A final heart attack gives him just time to write on the doctor's prescription blank a brief will. Then he dies. A lawyer tells Owen that he would have permanent charge of Pauline's estate if something should happen to her before marriage. Hicks, a race-track man, and Owen, conspire to kill Pauline. The preceding chapters have dealt with the many efforts of the two to accomplish this.

In the present peril, of which this installment is the continuation, Pauline is betrayed by the villainous Owen into the hands of the Gypsies who have been paid to kill her. She is borne into the camp but Harry, her lover, is on the track.

Written by Charles Goddard,
the Distinguished Playwright

Continued from Last Week.

CHAPTER XXIV.

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SINGOALLA stood outside the medicine tent of the gypsies. Singoalla was a princess of her people. She was the most beautiful of all the women of her tribe. She was the betrothed bride of Michel Mario, chief of the tribe. And she had borne her head high always; had looked perhaps a little disdainfully at the other women.

To-day she withered beside the fire, the howling, black-eyed children peering from the tent-slits of the covered wagons, the men smoking their pipes beside the wagons, saw a princess transformed into a simple, elemental woman. They saw Singoalla standing, weak and dazed, outside the medicine tent. The proud head was bent. The little form quivered as she paced to and fro.

What they did not see was the blaze of the black eyes. What they did not know was that fury not frailty weakened her.

They did not know until one of the old women approached the girl with a sympathetic question. Then all the pent wrath of Singoalla flamed forth. Her body straightened; she was a princess again. She saw Singoalla standing, weak and dazed, outside the medicine tent. The proud head was bent. The little form quivered as she paced to and fro.

Pietro an Michel Mario came out of the medicine tent, talking earnestly. "Well, the task is accomplished. I have taken your pretty quarry. What of my reward?" questioned Michel Mario. "Your reward?" Have I not paid you double?" exclaimed Pietro, the lion tamer. "You have paid only what I asked to risk my people in capturing her. What of her keep?"

"That was included in our bargain. She was to be held until I should dispose of her. You know it well," answered Pietro with an ugly grin. "Pietro's grin was of menace, not of merriment. He was thinking of the way in which he would dispose of Pauline."

"But I do not think it is for you to dispose of her," said Michel Mario softly. "You mean that?"

"That it was I who captured her and that I am her captor. In other words, Pietro, good friend, she is my prisoner, not yours. You would sell her back for a price?"

"No; I am everything in the world but a fool."

"How much, then, to keep her for a few days, until?" Pietro's hand instinctively went to his breast where lay the knife he had shown to Raymond Owen in the forest.

"What has this Mr. Owen—this tender guardian—paid to you, Pietro?" parried Mario keenly.

"That is my affair."

"You refuse to tell me?"

"I will give you 500 more."

The young chief laughed. "YOU will give me 500?" he jeered. YOU, whose freedom depends on my protection. I wonder," he added with an insinuating smile, "what Mr. Owen would give me if I went to him."

"He has put the matter in my hands. I am an old friend of his. I have served

him elsewhere. He would have no dealing with you whatever."

"Not if I suggested that the girl returned to her brother with a little letter explaining Mr. Owen's part in her capture? Is Mr. Owen all-powerful?"

Pietro's squat body twitched nervously. "And your part in it," added Mario cheerfully.

"Here is the 500," said Pietro, holding out the money.

"Another 500 and it will be settled," said the chief.

"Here then."

As Mario thrust the bundle of yellow bills into his pocket he noticed for the first time the watcher at the tent door.

"Singoalla, begone," he commanded abruptly, his brow darkening. "This is the second time of one day that I have found you spying."

"And the second time of one day I have been driven away from you," she replied, rushing toward him. She thrust her face close to his, her small form vibrating with her rage.

"I know what it is," she screamed. "It is this yellow-haired lady that you have carried off. It is the lady and the money. I saw you take the money. I hate you."

For answer the young chief raised his right arm haughtily and extended it—"Go—and go quickly. I do not quarrel with women about money; I command women."

She covered under the outstretched arm. But as she moved away her glance gleamed back at him, vindictive, threatening. He did not see the glance. He was smiling down at Pietro, complacent in his recent triumph of finance. He did not see Singoalla circle the medicine tent and crouch close to the opening in the back of it.

It was Pauline Marvin—Pauline, a prisoner within the tent, who saw the lovely but hate-harrowed face of the gypsy girl thrust between the curtains.

Pauline lay on the ground beside the medicine vat, where the gypsies had left her after the flight through the forest. She had fainted in the first terror of the moment when she was seized at the Marvin gate, when she lifted herself upon her elbow and looked into the eyes of Singoalla.

Through her brain coursed fear-dimmed visions of a rush through the stifling heat, over the soft leaf-mold of the forest, on the shoulders of strong men.

Sub-conscious memory told her of the end of the journey—a sudden end to the heat, a clamor of many voices stifled by one voice of command, the brushing of a tent curtain across her face, a new warm odor, feild, smothering; then a half-awakening, a struggle and a fall.

This was the nightmare of her swoon that ended with the vision of Singoalla at the tent-flap.

The face of the gypsy girl vanished so quickly that Pauline, in the dawn of consciousness, was not sure that it was not part of the dream.

She raised herself slowly and looked around her. There was no one in the medicine tent. She could hear men's muffled voices just outside—the voices of Pietro and Michel Mario bartering her captivity.

There were other voices, more distant and the crackle of a wood fire and the neighing of a tethered horse.

Dizzily she got to her feet. The strange surroundings made her cautious, stealthy. She groped her way toward the perpendicular rift of light that marked the place where



Pauline, Trying to Escape from the Gypsy Camp, Is Bullied by Her Captors.

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the girl's face had appeared. Softly she put apart the tent folds and looked out.

There was no one in sight. The sounds continued, but they came from the other side of the tent. The sheer face of a rock wall confronted her. The tent had been placed beside the rock for shade or shelter.

The rock towered twenty feet above her head, abrupt, unscalable. To right and left it extended out of the opening in the tent.

Pauline crept through the opening in the tent. The free air revived and strengthened her. She peered around the canvas edge and saw the gypsy camp laid out before her.

She crept along the tent-side until she was within hearing of the voices of the men that had come faintly to her ears from within the strange prison house.

"She won't trouble you long," Pietro, the lion tamer was saying.

"What do you mean?" asked Michel Mario.

No answer came immediately and Pauline rising to her feet, peered again.

She saw the hand of Pietro returning to his breast something that flashed menacingly in the sun. For an instant she drew back, her hand pressed to her heart.

Pain seized her. With fear came strength—almost courage. She dashed from her shelter out into the midst of the circle of the covered wagons, the rolling people.

The gypsies were taken by surprise. Pauline, running toward the woods beyond the wagon, had galloped a good hundred yards before the startled cry of Pietro announced that he had discovered her escape.

The shouts and screams of fifty men and women rang behind her. But terror lent her speed. She did not feel the tumult of her tired heart until she sank, crouching in a cove of briar just beyond the camp enclosure.

There, in a half-swoon, she heard the thud of many footsteps. She realized dimly that the gypsies were searching the woods for her. She felt that her hiding place was secure—but she did not know the woodcraft of the strange people who had been her captors.

It was only a few minutes after she sank fainting in the cove that the heavy howl of her head of Pietro peered through the bushes.

Pietro grinned evilly. He turned as if to call the other gypsies, but seemed to change his mind. He stooped over Pauline, who lay still now, exhausted, frightened beyond her strength.

Pietro looked back again. The sound of the hunt was growing more distant. He drew the knife from his breast.

"He will ask more and more money if he holds her prisoner. It is best to end it now," he muttered.

He raised the knife. Pauline did not even make a sound. She tried to raise herself but fell back upon the ground. All she could do was gaze at the assassin with wide wondering eyes. For there was a marvel and mystery unfathomable to her innocent heart in such colossal cruelty.

As Pietro poised the knife for the deadly blow, she watched it, fascinated.

The knife descended. She shut her eyes, awaiting the swift death.

Death did not come. The heavy hand of Pietro was caught in a grasp even mightier than his own. The knife was caught from him and he was flung back.

Michael Mario bent over Pauline.

"So, you tried to escape me?" he questioned in his musical voice. "Come, my beautiful one. You do not understand how kind are my people to those who are beautiful. This," he added, with a turning gesture towards Pietro, "is a craven interloper, a pariah among us."

He raised Pauline. She tried to thrust him back, but could not. He took no advantage of her weakness, but began to lead her gently, with almost a deferent care, back towards the camp.

As they entered the circle of the wagons, the Princess Singoalla was treading softly behind them. Suddenly she rushed to Mario's side, her clenched hands lifted above her head.

"So you have found a new friendship—so soon," she screamed, impeding him. With his free hand he reached out and struck her viciously. She fell, and for a moment covered on the ground. Then she

raised herself swiftly and sprang towards the road, like a tigress.

Michael Mario led Pauline back to the medicine tent, and left her at its entrance with a cowardly bow.

Harry, returning early according to his promise to Pauline, left his runabout at the garage and hurried into the house, calling her name cheerily.

Owen hurried from his room and came downstairs.

"Where is Pauline?" asked Harry.

"I'm sure I don't know, Mr. Marvin. I have been reading. The last I saw of her, I think, was when she was seeing you off—down at the gate."

"You mean outside the gate?"

"Yes; she was waving to you from the roadway."

A black cloud fell over Harry's cheerfulness. He ran up the stairs, and pounded excitedly on Pauline's door. He came down again, and rushed out to the garage. He asked hurried questions of the men who had taken charge of the runabout. They did not remember seeing Miss Pauline for several hours.

Harry ran towards the garden, calling her name with his hands to his mouth. Owen came out on the veranda, seemingly excited and worried, but as Harry turned back to the garage the secretary's look of concern changed quickly to one of grim delight.

"This time you will not find her," he muttered to himself.

"Leave the machine outside; I'll take it again," ordered Harry.

He sprang to the seat and sped down the long drive, through the gate and out on the wood-crowned road.

Again he was depending on the strange, protecting fate that had so often guided him to Pauline. But he had sometimes had a clue; now he had none. He had no thought or plan, except to find her at whatever hazard.

A gypsy girl's red sash and bodice caught his eye far down the road. She was running; her jet hair streamed wildly behind her. As Harry drew near he saw her eyes were aflame with anger or with fear. He stopped his machine, but she came on without seeming to see him.

"What is the matter?" he called gently.

She stopped, but stared at him without answering. A thought struck him.

"Have you seen anything of a lady—a lady with golden hair, who has been lost?" he asked her.

"Yes, I will help you, if you help me. I will take you to the place where the yellow-haired lady is hidden—if you will kill the man who carries her away."

A spark of quick understanding kindled her expressive face.

"Ah, you have," said Harry. "Will you tell me where she is. If you help me to find her, I will help you in your trouble. You are in trouble, are you not?"

She nodded slowly, eyeing him as if hesitant between doubt and desire. Suddenly she stepped close to the runabout, flashed a look up and down the road, and spoke in a whisper:

The quick proof that Pauline was again in danger—that she was a prisoner—brought a quiver of alarm to Harry's lips, but he promised hotly:

"Kill him? In a moment, I will. Tell me where I can find her."

Obediently she gestured command, he drove the automobile into a covert of bushes, left it and followed her with swift footsteps into the woods.

His eagerness to protect the woman he loved matched her eagerness to punish the man she loved. Spurred by their opposite purposes, they moved with equal speed to Singoalla's tent.

For several minutes Harry had heard distinctly the sound of voices. The sound had swelled in volume as they advanced. The voices had mingled with the creak of wagon wheels, the beat of hoofs on soft ground. Now, through the orifice that Singoalla opened in the bushes, he saw the source of the sounds he had heard.

Michael Mario was breaking camp. The fires were extinguished. The circle of the wagons was in motion, was drawing out into a trail. One wagon and one tent

—the medicine tent—remained.

Against the rock wall behind the medicine tent stood Pietro, the lion tamer, and Michael Mario, the Chief, talking.

Pietro was angry. The young chief was smiling.

"It is not the price now—it is the price that I consider," he was saying in his lazy voice.

"That is the man who stole the yellow-haired lady," whispered Singoalla to Harry. Harry started to leap through the bushes. She caught his arm and held him back. The last of the receding wagons rumbled away into the cover of the woods.

"Do not kill him—only punish him," said Singoalla.

Harry sprang through the bush and rushed to the medicine tent. Mario heard him coming and turned. The chief sprang in front of Harry as he approached the tent.

"What do you want in my camp?" demanded the chief.

"I want Pauline Marvin, my sister, whom you are holding prisoner."

"Then you might as well go away. I know of no such woman."

For answer Harry leaped at Mario. But the chief was agile. He dodged and struck back. Harry's strength was the greater, but Mario's skill was subtle.

Singoalla stood watching them breathlessly. She seemed anxious, excited. She had repented now of the plot against her lover.

The swinging fight came to a climax. Harry, battling for entrance to the tent, hurled his opponent through the doorway. They fell upon the ground beside the medicine vat.

Pauline, crouching in a far corner, lifted herself, bewildered, exultant.

"Harry! Harry!" she cried.

Grappling with the strong man on the ground, Harry wasted no breath to answer. He struggled to his feet. Mario did likewise. They clashed anew. The medicine vat was struck by their clinched fists and overturned. The bottles fell about them. They struck the centre pole and the canvas collapsed like a card house.

Pauline crawled under the fallen canvas to the open air. There were no gypsies in sight save Singoalla, who stood wringing her hands. She moved to Pauline's side. Together they watched the battle under the tent cover. They did not speak, but their fears, so like and yet so opposite, held them together.

Mario forced himself out from under the canvas. Blood was streaming down his face. His temples were blue from crushing blows. Without looking at the women, he rushed, panting, toward the rock where lay his coat.

Harry lifted the tent canvas and came out. Mario was facing him again, but this time there was a gleaming revolver in his hand.

Singoalla uttered a cry. Pauline sped to Harry as if to shield him.

But Singoalla was before him.

"Kill him; save yourself; I did not mean to do it!" she cried.

In an instant Mario was flitting the bullets into the gun.

Pauline was clinging to Harry. She was begging him to flee.

But it was too late to flee. She had stopped his rush and Mario was smiling.

Harry turned to the wrecked tent. The medicine bottles were strewn all about it. He seized two of them.

"Oo, the bottles!" he shouted to Pauline. He buried the two he had with the force of cannon shots at Mario. Mario dodged. Surprised, he stopped filling the pistol.

Harry picked up more of the bottles. Pauline was beside him again, her arms filled with bottles. Heavy with the beauty poison, they whizzed and broke and splashed upon the rock wall behind the chief.

He lifted the revolver and tried to take aim, but could not. The shot blazed into space. A bottle struck his head and he fell heavily beside the rock. Singoalla fell beside him, sheltering him with her body.

Harry caught Pauline into his arms, but she forced him back.

"I can run," she said. "Come!"

They sped through the deserted camp into the wood path and down the path to where the automobile was hidden.

As they drove away they did not see the Princess Singoalla following them.

Singoalla stopped and wandered back through the meadow that verged the camp. She was more desperate now than she had been when Pauline was Mario's prisoner.

There was a bruise on her forehead where Mario struck her. His curses were ringing in her ears. The only outlet for her elemental sorrow was in new vengeance. The vengeance had turned toward Harry Marvin and the "yellow-haired lady" whom she had saved.

Bushes rimmed the meadows. As Singoalla glided beside the bushes her ear caught a low whirr.

She stopped and leaned over the hedge-like barrier and looked down.

The whirr continued. She crept through the bushes. Softly she broke a stem of the heavy briar. Deftly she fashioned a fork at the end of it.

A moment later the fork descended sharply over the head of a coiled rattlesnake. With the snake in her hand, Singoalla went back to the deserted camp.

She searched the grounds for a basket and found one at last. She put the snake in it and held it fast with the forked stick. Then she went back to the meadow.

The daisies were in fulsome bloom. They grew so high and close together that it required only a few snatches of her small brown hand to gather enough to fill the basket.

"I don't know exactly, sir, who brought them. It was a pretty little woman—perhaps a gypsy. She said they were for the 'yellow-haired lady,' whom she loved."

Bemis, the elderly butler at the Marvin house, was used to uncommon gifts as he was used to uncommon occurrences. As he brought back a basket of daisies to Pauline in the library Harry had questioned him doubtfully, but his answer was reassuring.

"Why, it is the little gypsy girl who helped me find you," said Harry. "Bemis, see if she has gone. She ought to be rewarded."

"She has gone, sir," said Bemis.

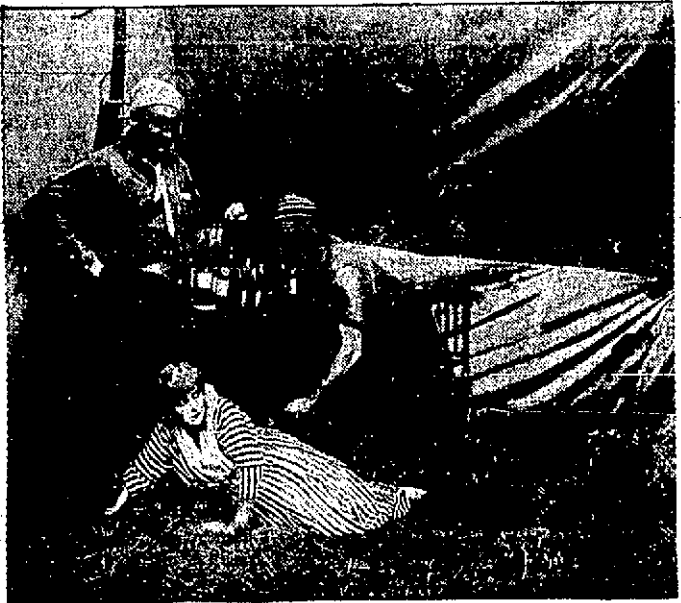
Neither he nor Pauline nor Harry knew that the beautiful, menacing face of Singoalla was peering through the window at them just at that moment.

Even after the grave peril from which Pauline had escaped only a few hours ago, none of them realized that death might lie among the blossoms.

"They are beautiful, and so was she," said Pauline.

She pressed her face down among the daisies.

(To be continued next week.)



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(Special to The Republican)
SANTA CRUZ, Sept. 16.—With a suddenness that brought surprise to the Superior Court today, C. A. Cooper, Sheriff, banker charged with arson in connection with the destruction of Hotel Ben Lomond last March, agreed with District Attorney B. K. Knight to plead guilty to a charge of being an accessory after the fact. The trial was immediately halted and Cooper at 11 o'clock was taken before Justice of the Peace J. J. Boush, where he was arraigned and entered his plea. This afternoon to the Superior Court again Cooper appeared, a new information having been prepared and here he entered a plea of guilty under the new charge. Billworth Beeson, his partner, was arraigned and pleaded guilty to the same charge. Both men will appear Friday for sentence and may be fined anywhere up to \$5000. The plea also provides for a county jail sentence or state prison term not to exceed two years.

The jury was dismissed and lastly telegrams were sent to thirty-three witnesses in Fresno and Sanger not to come. By this latest turn in the case the county will be saved about \$4000, according to District Attorney Knight. There is considerable speculation now as to whether the insurance companies will pay the \$17,000 insurance on the buildings, the policies being held by Cooper. The companies were awaiting the outcome of the trial. Walter Everett, the Fresno bootblack who did the actual firing of the building, and who is now serving three years was brought down from Folsom as a witness.

Sheriff Walter McSwain received word yesterday noon of the compromise made in the Cooper arson case at Santa Cruz and was able to stop some of the witnesses before they took the train in order to be in Santa Cruz today.

PRESBYTERIANS OF VALLEY MEET

A meeting of the executive committee of the Fresno Valley Presbyterian church, held yesterday at the Calvary Presbyterian church. Only routine business was transacted. Modesto, Merced, Hanford, Visalia, Fowler, Selma and Fresno were represented. The ladies of the church served a luncheon.

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REEDLEY TAXES CO. FAIR ADS; PROTEST MADE

At the next meeting of the members of the Fresno Fair Association, Secretary C. G. Eberhart will call to the attention of the board the fact that Reedley, who is distributing advertising for the fair, was compelled to pay a billposters license of \$250 before being permitted to place posters in the store windows at Reedley. Eberhart said yesterday that Reedley was taken in law by City Marshal Shippe of Reedley and not permitted to place any of the advertising posters for the county fair until a license was paid. Eberhart said that it was the first time in the county that had demanded license money to advertise the fair.

F. LOUIS KING DIES

Local friends of Mrs. Leona Huffer King learned yesterday that her father-in-law, F. Louis King, died at his home in San Jose last Saturday. He was a well known musician in the United States, having composed a number of popular pieces of music.

DENVER S. CHURCH EXPECTED HOME OCTOBER 1

Congressman Will Start
Campaign for His
Re-election

Plans Series of Meetings
Throughout the San
Joaquin Valley

Denver S. Church, congressman from the Seventh District, expects to leave Washington, D. C., in about ten days and will reach Fresno the first of October. Church will then start his campaign for re-election. He secured the Democratic nomination for Congress without opposition at the primaries, but must contest for the position with A. M. Drew, the Republican nominee. Friends of Church, yesterday received letters from him announcing that he was planning to leave Washington so that he would reach home about the first of the month. "No home coming" celebration has so far been arranged for Church by any of his friends in this city and it is likely that he will only be met by his intimate friends. But plans are already under way for a series of meetings for Church in all of the cities and towns in this congressional district. The itinerary will not be completed or announced until after Church's return and he has been able to go over the places that he is to visit.

Church said in his letter received here yesterday that his constituents would appreciate that he had been staying in Washington attending to important business and had not returned home to start his political campaign until things were in such a condition that he could leave. Mrs. Church and her daughter, Fern, will precede the congressman to Fresno. They left Washington the first of the month and are now in Los Angeles. They are expected in Fresno any day. Mrs. Church and her daughter are visiting in Los Angeles with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Walton.



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TEMPORARY SCHOOL MAY BE GRANTED ARLINGTON

Meeting of Complaining
Citizens to Be Held
Tonight

President Sunderland Ex-
plains Position of
School Board

Temporary quarters for the first and second grade pupils of the Arlington Heights district will probably be established on the "school plot," at the corner of Grant avenue and Sixth street by the board of education, as a means of pacifying the citizens of that community, who have raised a strong objection to the present arrangement for their pupils, according to A. E. Sunderland, president of the board. However, the board meeting will be held by the heights residents tonight, as previously called.

In explaining the action of the board in not placing a new building in Arlington Heights, Mr. Sunderland said that only about sixty pupils could be expected in the regular attendance, whereas if the building is put in the Alta Vista tract it will take the place of the old Jackson school and provide better facilities of education for all the children in that vicinity, and at the same time fit in with plans for other new buildings that will be completed by the beginning of the second term of this school year. One big school is better than two small schools, said Mr. Sunderland, and for that reason he will not consider constructing a building in Arlington Heights, as the new Jefferson, Webster and Alta Vista tract schools will take care of that community in a very satisfactory manner.

At present there are four teachers in the Jackson school and the board admits that the advantages are not very good, but will be first class when the old building is closed and the pupils sent to the Alta Vista tract. Under the new arrangement, the Arlington Heights building is ready for school purposes, it is claimed. Mr. Sunderland says the plans for the new buildings will be approved in the near future.

"Other pupils in the city are walking farther than the Arlington Heights children to school," declared Mr. Sunderland. "As a matter of fact, some of the residents in the heights believe they have a grievance, when they are actually receiving very good school accommodations. The building is as good as will be enjoyed by any district in the city."

"If a recall petition is circulated, I will be glad to head it with my signature. The interest of the board is not personal, but it is the public's interest that we have planned for in this readjustment of the school district system."

The Arlington Heights indignation committee held a meeting last night and drew up resolutions to be presented to the residents at the mass meeting tonight. At the mass meeting a special committee will be named to go before the board of education tomorrow night and present the resolutions and a request for immediate relief.

Mr. Sunderland announced yesterday afternoon that the mass meeting committee would be received by the board and that consideration would be given to their alleged grievances. In stating that temporary quarters for the first and second grade pupils would probably be established on the one-half block purchased by the old school board in the heights, Mr. Sunderland said he did not bind any of the other board members and he might change his mind after further consideration.

DEMOCRATS WILL MEET SATURDAY

Additional Members to
Central Committee Will
Be Appointed

A meeting of the members of the Democratic Central committee will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Judge Smith's court room at which announcement will be made of the appointment of the fifteen additional members of the committee. Five will be added to the committee from each assembly district. Also the executive committee of seven and the finance committee of seven will be named. Russell Uhler, chairman, will preside at the meeting.

FRESNO STATE FAIR EXHIBIT ATTRACTS

Diversified Crops of This
County Are Well
Displayed

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 16.—Fresno county with its variety of products has an interesting exhibit at the state fair this year. Fifty-two million dollars represent the sum total of its production in 1913 and the aggregation of exhibits is sufficiently excellent to demonstrate the truthfulness of that fact.

As an exponent of diversified farming, no county in the state is better able to live up to it and give actual demonstration of the fact. There is a magnificent array of peaches, nectarines, plums, prunes, apples, quinces, pomegranates. Vegetables are also shown in abundant variety. There are muskmelons from "Grand old Armonia" and a bunch of watermelons, six in number, totaling 700 pounds.

Fresno is also the greatest raisin center in the world, while in dried fruits it is undoubtedly "trifling" in the Fresno slogan and is accountable for the wonderful development of the county. Fresno has the best gravity system of irrigation in the world, drawing its supply from the Kings river. It also has the cheapest irrigation water rate, 65c per acre per annum.

The exhibit is installed in the form of a thatched bungalow. It is an artistic inspiration and those in charge are confident of carrying off many prizes.

MEXICANS USE LATEST STEPS AT THEIR BALL

Those who attended the ball given by the Mexican Independence Union at French hotel, 1211 E street, last night, expecting to see some of the sensational dances, were sadly disappointed, as the Mexicans showed that they were just as up-to-date as the average American. An American orchestra was in attendance and they played the latest in American dance music, such as "Too Much Mustard" and "You Made Me What I Am Today" and other popular selections. To the symphony refrain of these pieces the Mexican girls and their partners walked, bucked, stepped, and in short, went through the latest steps as adopted by the Americans.

One thing about the dance out of the ordinary was the midnight supper whereat were dished up some of the Mexican national dishes, savory and highly flavored. The occasion for the evening's entertainment was the celebration of the 104th anniversary of the freedom of Mexico from Spanish rule, and Rodolfo Perez, Vicente Rodriguez, Lauriano Jaurer and Jose Gutierrez, the orators, dwelt at length on the history of Father Hidalgo and Benito Jaurer and other noted heroes of the Mexican Republic.

CITY MAY PROVIDE MONTHLY DANCES IN AUDITORIUM

Pickford Suggests Hall Be
Turned Over to Police
and Firemen

Wants People to Get More
Enjoyment Out of
City Building

A suggestion made by George Pickford, city trustee, that the conventional hall be turned over to the police and fire departments on two separate nights each month for municipal dances to swell the relief funds, will be officially called to the attention of the police and fire commissioners—at their regular meeting tonight. Much has been said about municipal dances being held in the auditorium, but no one connected with the city has taken the initiative step.

Yesterday Pickford called at the police headquarters and laid his plan before Chief Coyle. The chief of police is in favor of the dances and it is understood that the chief of the fire department will have no objection to his men promoting a dance one night each month. Pickford said yesterday that he had at different times talked the matter over with several people and that all were in favor of the plan. He said that the conventional hall was constructed with the idea of being a public gathering place and that the people of Fresno were not getting enough pleasure out of the hall.

Pickford's idea is to turn the hall over to the police for one night each month for a dance under their supervision. No rent will be charged for the hall and the profits, after the musicians are paid, is to be credited to the police relief fund. The same will be done for the fire department.

Pickford will call the attention of the board of trustees to the proposition at the meeting next Monday night.

OFFICIALS INSPECT SALVATION ARMY BUILDING

Formal Dedication Will
Be Held Within
Month

Structure Erected at a
Cost of \$40,000;
Strictly Modern

Formal inspection and acceptance of the new Salvation Army building on K street was made yesterday by three officers of the Pacific Coast body. The officers are Lieutenant-Colonel J. D. Sharp and Brigadier George Wood of San Francisco and Major Joseph Banker of Los Angeles. The building is of brick, three stories in height with a basement, erected at a cost of \$40,000. Furnishing of the building will start immediately and will cost approximately \$3,500.

The Salvation Army officers last night erected a pleasure over the fact that the building had been completed and thanked the public for its support. It is the hope of the Army officers that they may secure assistance in furnishing the building. In other cities various societies have taken it upon themselves to furnish various rooms.

The two top stories are given over entirely to sleeping rooms and these will be rented.

Formal dedication services will be held within a month, state officials to be present and participate in the services. The basement, which has a separate entrance, will be fitted up for a young people's department and for Sunday services. In addition to this, a rest room and reading room, will be established. A kitchen for social functions and dining room is also situated in the basement, as is the heating apparatus.

Two small store rooms are located on the ground floor in the front of the structure. The main entrance is in the middle of the building and leads to the auditorium on the ground floor. This auditorium has a seating capacity of 365 and is provided with a large rostrum, flanked on either side by small ante-rooms.

Thirty-two well appointed rooms are located on the second and third floors. The entrance to the apartments being at the north side of the building. Each room is electric lighted, is provided with hot and cold water, and all are outside rooms. Each floor is provided with stationary and shower baths.

Stokers fire exchangers have been installed both at the front and rear of the building.

BAITTY OUT ON RAIL
Peter Baitty, accused of falling in love with his wife and child, was arrested by the justice of the peace yesterday and was released on \$500 bail. Preliminary examination was set for Friday. The case will be prosecuted by William Harvey, sr. of the Fresno County Humane Society.

"Master Made" Shoes for Men at Ku'ner's Bigger and Better Than Ever---"Not Advertised Specials" at Kutner's Today

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—Baking dishes, uncovered, 30c and 35c—Pie plates, 25c each—Pitchers 75c and \$1.25. Tea pots, 60c and 85c. Custard bowls 10c, 15c and 25c each.

—Baking dishes—covered—flat—with long saucepan handles.

—Casserole, round or oval—All sizes with or without lid—with and without handles—All prices.

—Dean pots, 60c and 85c—Moulded Casseroles. Price \$2.75 up to \$8.50.

—Women who love pretty things in their kitchen should come and see this splendid ware—

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—Cut down the expense of running your automobile—Our auto depot offers many good opportunities—Here are a few of the many:

—Regular 75c aluminum steel plates, Special 45c.

—Regular 20c, 100 assorted cotter pins, 15c.

—Ford oil gauges, 25c.

—25c six inch combination pliers.

—\$1.00 spark plugs, 45c.

—Gasoline, 15c gallon.

—Electric horns, \$1.50.

—Master vibrator for Ford machines, \$3.50.

Groceries 85c Enamel Coffee Pots 38c

—Bellefleur Apples, extra fancy quality, wrapped, 4 tier, 90c box.

—1 lb. cans Royal Baking Powder, 38c can.

—Egg-O-See Corn Flakes, 2 pkgs., 15c.

—Van Camp's Pork and Beans, in tomato sauce, 3 cans, 25c, 90c dozen.

—Fairbanks' Fairy Toilet Soap, 6 bars, 25c.

—3 Qt. and of good blue enamel—

—20c Aluminum pie pans; 10-inch size, 15c.

—\$1.25 White Enamel bread boxes, 65c.

—\$3.00 Electric Toaster, \$2.25.

—These prices are for today only—

—(Mariposa Street Store).

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ASKS ALLOWANCE IN PATTERSON ESTATE

Widow Files Court Re-
quest for the Payment
Monthly of \$1500

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Patterson made court application yesterday for a family allowance of \$1500 monthly which is declared to be reasonable in view of the condition of the estate and the circumstances of the family. According to the trust will of the late Thomas W. Patterson, no provision was made for a family allowance, though the residence was devised to the wife for life without providing means for the upkeep. The family consists of the widow, daughter aged 19 and son 16. The appraised value of the estate is given at \$1,075,002.37 with claims against it totaling \$206,681.70. It is also represented that if all property exempt from execution were set aside for family support it would be insufficient for the purpose. The allowance if granted would date from the day of death, May 14, 1914.

GERMANS ESTABLISH NEW RULE LONDON, Sept. 16.—(9:30 a. m.)—A Rome dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company gives an official announcement made in Berlin that Germany has established a military government over Suravvalki, in Russian Poland.

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Grocery Department to
Be Moved to Kern
Street Store

Hardware and Crochery
to Occupy Tulare
Street Store

Next Monday our Grocery Department will be moved to our Kern Street Store, with the exception of a great many specials, which will be placed on sale for quick disposal.

Sale will be held at the Tulare street store only.

Watch Sunday's Paper for
"Farewell Sale"
Announcement

Sunday's paper will contain an interesting announcement. Watch for it! Be prepared to go shopping Monday! Graff's will inaugurate a special sale in bidding goodbye to their old location.

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